

OUTLINES.

As a result of a conference last night with President Roosevelt, Secretary of War Taft will sail for Cuba tomorrow on a warship to look into the insurrection situation—Eight United States warships with 2,000 marines will hover around Cuba, and in the meantime the government will watch events and be prepared to act if intervention is necessary—Representatives of the steamship lines were in conference with the Interstate Commerce Commission but while denying that the rate law applies to them they gave assurance of their co-operation in maintaining thorough freight rates—Turkey has complained to the powers that Bulgaria is preparing for war—The Cuban Congress met yesterday and authorized President Palma to use funds of the Republic in order to suppress the rebellion—A statue of the late President McKinley was yesterday unveiled at Columbus, O., by Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, daughter of President Roosevelt; fifty thousand people surged around the stand to see Mrs. Longworth and owing to a panic the exercises had to be suspended—R. L. Nutt, of Norfolk, has been appointed treasurer of the Seaboard Air Line—Bradstreet's reports trade, crop and industrial operations as unprecedented—The government is prosecuting John Monk, a Norfolk contractor, for violating the eighthour law—The receipts of cotton since September 1st in the United States have been 209,116 bales against 364,754 last year—New York markets: Money on call strong 4 1/2 to 9 per cent; ruling rate 4 3/4; closing bid and offered at 6; flour firm with quiet trade; wheat firm, No. 2 red 76 3/4 elevator; corn firm, No. 2 59 elevator; oats steady, mixed 37; turpentine quiet 65; rosin steady, strained common to good 4.10.

The results of the Maine election may indicate the failure of dollar campaign subscription.

Colorado and New Mexico are the latest acquisitions to the Bryan bandwagon. It looks pretty to see all the States except Connecticut.

While the Republicans are looking for excuses for the slump in Maine, they will refrain from expressing the suspicion that they just couldn't get out a big vote on dollar subscriptions to the campaign fund.

And now it is stated on the highest authority that Roosevelt, the politician, is to name the Republican candidate for Governor of New York. It does seem that "Roosevelt is the issue," and that the Dictatorship is coming.

Secretary Shaw came to North Carolina as a partisan but our people attended his reception without regard to party. He was pleased with the cordiality of our people, although he came to make speeches calculated to ruin the State.

If the politicians fail to regulate the railroads they may not know any better how to operate them. Without knowing what kind of railroad men they'll make, we'll have to cogitate a while before we buy them any roads worth mentioning.

Col. Bryan's individual opinion about the government ownership of railroads is no more a Democratic campaign issue than the private opinion of Secretary Taft about tariff revision is a Republican slogan. National conventions lay down the issues.

The insurgents in Cuba should not hug to their breasts the fatuous delusion that if they "stand up as one man" that T. Roosevelt will give them the same moral and substantial support that he gave the revolutionists in Panama. We have no earthly use for a canal across Cuba.

Says the Raleigh News and Observer: "It will appeal to the pride of North Carolina to make a gift to the cruiser named after this commonwealth that will be commensurate with the fame of the State and the sea power of the new fighting craft." Whenever it is decided what the gift is to be the people of the Tar Heel State from Manteo to Murphy will go down in their jeans.

DRESSING TRAGEDY
OF YESTERDAY MORNING

Young Williams Dead from His Injuries, Remains are Sent Home—Coroner's Inquest Fixes Shooting On Young Lonnie Snipes.

W. L. Williams, the prominent young travelling man who was mortally wounded while acting as a peace-maker in a drunken brawl in the dance hall of a house of ill fame on McRae street between 1 and 2 o'clock yesterday morning, died at the James Walker Memorial Hospital a little after 4 o'clock, about three hours after he received the fatal shot. Lonnie Snipes, the young brewery clerk charged with the killing and himself shot by Officer C. T. Croom while making his escape, is not dangerously wounded and has been transferred to the county jail, where he awaits bond of \$2,500 for his appearance at the term of New Hanover Superior court which convenes Monday week. The body of young Williams was prepared for burial during the day by Funeral Director James F. Woolvin, and the remains were shipped by express last night to the former home of the young man at Covington, Ky., after brief funeral services from St. James' church by the Rev. T. P. Noe, assistant rector of the parish.

The tragedy at the house of the Pinner woman was generally deplored yesterday and great interest was manifested in the hearing before the coroner's jury, which took place in the County Court Room where a large number of spectators gathered. After hearing all the evidence adduced by a rigid questioning of all the witnesses who could be secured to the deplorable affair, a verdict was rendered that the deceased "came to his death by a wound from a gun shot fired by Lonnie Snipes." The brewery clerk was at first committed to jail without bond, but later Dr. Bell, the coroner, decided inasmuch as some of the evidence tended merely to show that it was manslaughter, to admit the prisoner to bail of \$2,500 justified. The bond had not been arranged at last accounts but it is probable that it will be arranged in a few days at the outside. Snipes is being made as comfortable as possible in jail and is receiving the best of surgical attention until his wounds are healed. The bullet which entered his abdomen, glanced around the ribs and no vital parts were affected. The ball was extracted by Dr. Slocum and Dr. Gray at the hospital a short time after the shooting and he was sent back to the police station, being transferred to the county jail after the inquest, which was completed about 1 o'clock.

Special Officer C. T. Croom, who made the arrest, was the star witness before the inquest and gave very damaging evidence against young Snipes. Two women arrested and held as witnesses, professed to know very little of the occurrences; in fact they were apparently so inconsistent in their statements as to knowing nothing of the affair that the coroner has threatened to hold them for perjury. They are held under bonds of \$50 each anyway as witnesses in the case.

Officer Croom, after being duly sworn by the coroner, testified that about 12:05 o'clock the night of the shooting, two travelling men asked him to show them out to the red light district of the town. He accompanied them to the house at 210 McRae. In a few minutes Lawrence Pinner, his brother, and a Mr. Williams, came in. The two travelling men then left. Lawrence Pinner got to playing with the McDonald woman; he was pretty full and finally the two fell on the floor. Mr. Williams said: "We won't let them fight," and jumped in and separated them. Lonnie Snipes, who was also in the room, understood to be a friend of the McDonald woman, pulled a pistol and said: "I've got it in for you anyhow" and fired at Williams, who fell. Croom said he started toward Snipes and said to him: "I want you, put your gun up. He threw the gun on witness and walked sideways out of the house. As soon as he put the gun in his pocket, Croom said he grabbed him and told him to consider himself under arrest. He broke away and ran. Croom called to him to halt and he pulled his gun again as if to shoot witness. Croom then shot at him. He kept running and Croom again fired and shouted to him to halt. He kept on running, and for the third time witness called to him to halt, and fired. He kept fleeing and Croom shot at him for the fourth time. He called, "I'm shot" and said he would give up. The wit-

ness and carried him to Eighth and Grace streets and turned him over to Policeman Mark Jones. Croom asked Snipes for his gun and he said he left it in the house. Witness told him he hadn't for he had it out when he left the house. The pistol was afterwards found by Officer Jones along the route Snipes ran. When he gave up, Croom said Snipes begged him to blow his brains out, saying he knew he would be hung anyway.

Recalled, Croom said he was in the room during the entire time Lawrence Pinner was there and he never struck the woman, Violet McDonald, and at no time was she unconscious.

Officer M. Jones testified that about 1:30 he was at Seventh and Chestnut streets and heard the shots. He ran around in time to see a crowd run out of Maude Pinner's house. The man seemed to be running toward Grace street. He recognized the voice of Tom Croom when he said "I've got him." Croom turned Snipes over to Officer Jones, saying that he had just killed a man at Gussie Greer's. Snipes begged Croom to kill him; that he was going to die anyway and this would get him out of trouble. Snipes said four men jumped on him and he had to shoot him in self defense. The hospital ambulance came and took Snipes out. He looked for Snipes' revolver as directed by Croom and with difficulty found it on west side of Eighth or McRae, between Chestnut and Grace streets, about 100 feet south of the residence. It was a 32-calibre five-chamber revolver with one cartridge fired.

Lawrence Pinner testified that he didn't remember anything that occurred, only that he went to Kate Jenkins', across the street from Maude Pinner's. He said he was drunk.

Violet McDonald said about 1 o'clock Lawrence Pinner and a crowd came to the house and Pinner began harranguing and cursing her. She asked him not to do that way, but he kept on, and struck the witness in the breast. When she came to herself a man lay on the floor shot. She knew nothing about the shooting; was senseless when it is said to have occurred. She knew Snipes and they had had no falling out.

Lottie Smith, another inmate of the house, said she was in the ball room of the house at the time. As soon as she heard a pistol shot in the room she ran out. She didn't see Pinner and the McDonald woman fighting and heard none of the conversation.

Upon conclusion of the testimony the jury retired and made up its verdict as follows:

"We, the undersigned, coroner's jury, being duly summoned and sworn by Dr. C.D. Bell, coroner of New Hanover county, beg to report after hearing the evidence in the case before us, from the evidence of witnesses we find that said W. L. Williams came to his death by a wound from a gun shot fired by Lonnie Snipes.

"(Signed) R. F. Warren, foreman; B. F. King, secretary; W. L. Burkholder; D. S. Reville, W. Van Hardin, A. Silverman."

Immediately after the inquest young Snipes was taken to the jail. He is originally from Pender county but a mother and brother now live in this city. He is about 21 years of age and ordinarily was not of a rowdy disposition. It is understood that arrangements are being made whereby he will be represented at the trial by Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy and Herbert Mc Clammy, Esq. Under their advice, he is making no statement of his connection with the affair.

The two women inmates of the house are held under \$50 bond for their appearance as witnesses in the case. The Smith woman gave cash bond last night but Violet McDonald is still in jail. Lawrence Pinner was recognized for his appearance as a witness in the case. He made no effort to get away from the place after the shooting, though more than one of the other young men in the house at the time are reported to have "lit a rag" on the early morning trains yesterday.

Funeral of Young Mr. Williams. Upon every hand yesterday there were heard expressions of deep regret at the killing of young Williams. He came to Wilmington eight or ten years

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THE HOUSE IS CLOSED

Place of Terrible Tragedy Early Yesterday Morning Shut Up By the Police

TO BE VACATED AT ONCE

Officer Placed in Charge to See That 210 MacRae Street, Scene of Two Killings Is Used as Place of Resort No Longer.

Chief of Police Williams yesterday morning issued a peremptory order closing for all time to come, at least so far as the present police administration is concerned, the house at 210 MacRae street, where the terrible tragedy occurred in which young Williams lost his life so unfortunately a few hours before. Two of the inmates of the place—including the proprietress are confined to their rooms by illness and upon a physician's certificate, they are allowed to remain there temporarily, but an officer has been placed in charge of the house and no one is allowed to leave or enter except where it is absolutely necessary. As soon as the women are able to be removed, the house will be closed permanently. It is the scene of two similar tragedies almost within a year. In 1905 the community was horrified by the act of a picture agent killing a woman inmate of the place and then killing himself with the same revolver in one of the rooms on the second floor of the building. Mayor Springer at that time issued a peremptory order closing the den and it remained closed for some time, but subsequently it was opened again and had been running in full blast as a place of common resort until the second tragedy yesterday morning.

The action of the chief of police in closing the place will be sustained by the best people of the city. A policeman is detailed each night and day to remain at the place until the order of the police goes into effect permanently.

COLE BROTHERS' SHOWS.

Plenty to Interest, Plenty to Astonish, Plenty to Amuse.

Lovers of out-of-the-ordinary amusement will be interested in the announcement that Cole Brothers' United Shows have returned from a triumphal tour abroad and will be seen Monday afternoon and evening at Hilton Park, presenting decidedly the largest and greatest programme of original, unique and thrilling feature acts known today to the show world, a class by itself without a rival. Nothing like the imperial performance provided by Messrs. Cole Brothers was ever before dreamed or dared by the

Whatever your preference, you will find plenty to interest, astonish and edify you. There are thrilling aerial acts, during every moment of which one expects to see the intrepid performers hurled into eternity; artistic and sensational equestrianism; incredible and bewildering athletic and acrobatic numbers; blood-chilling jockey, hurdle and chariot races; amazingly venturesome bicyclists; phenomenal exhibitions by wild beasts. In fact, so numerous and varied are the novelties offered in the three rings, upon two elevated stages and upon the triple length hippodrome track by these shows, that lack of space will not permit each to be mentioned. The quantity and quality of the features are such as to really stagger comprehension. It matters not how big the Cole Brothers shows may have been in years gone by, this season they completely overwhelm all past efforts. The wonderful growth they have attained since their inception is due solely to the fact that the proprietors have always aimed to present all and more than they advertised and everything of the best as well as the best of everything. Success crowned their efforts from the first and today they are justly recognized as the invincible monarchs of the amusement world.

Moulded Spoons Before Revolution.

Mr. M. V. Sutton, of Elizabethtown, while taking orders for fruit trees in Pender county a few days ago, stopped at the home of Mr. Hugh Wells, at Horse Branch, seven miles west of Burgaw, where he was shown a pair of spoon molds brought to this country by the Taylor family before the Revolutionary War. The molds were exhibited at the Star office by Mr. Sutton and proved to be a decidedly interesting relic of the days gone by.

Star Advertisements brings quick results.

OPEN AIR MEETING
GENERAL RALLY FOR ALL

Speaking in Fifth Ward Last Night Was Spectacular Affair—All Candidates Had an Inning—Several Speeches Heard.

The open air meeting at Fifth and Castle streets last night under the auspices of Dr. N. M. Culbreth, candidate for the Legislature, who was advertised as the only speaker, really resolved itself into a rally of the friends of all candidates. The crowd was small at first, but as the night wore on the numbers were augmented by every passing car and by 10 o'clock there were probably between three and four hundred present. It was 11 o'clock before the meeting broke up and various speakers had been heard with what effect can only be told when the primary is held next Wednesday.

The speaking took place from an improvised stand on the east side of Fifth street. Dr. Culbreth was presented in an address of some length by Woodus Kellum, Esq., who eulogized his candidate, spoke of the salient points in his platform and offered some criticism of the position of his opponent on several public questions. Dr. Culbreth spoke from notes and touched upon the various planks in his platform, declaring for municipal ownership and especially for the municipal ownership of the water plant in Wilmington. He deemed it unnecessary to have a vote of the people on the question for if they elected him at the primary next Wednesday that would be endorsement of his position and therefore of municipal ownership. Dr. Culbreth spoke for about thirty minutes and was frequently applauded, though at times there were counter cheers for Morton. He was in no wise personal and made a dignified, earnest appeal to the voters of the ward for their support.

Upon the conclusion of Dr. Culbreth's speech, there were calls for his opponent, Col. Morton, who stood in the edge of the crowd and responded to the call mainly directed at answering the argument of Mr. Kellum and contrasting his own record in the General Assembly when they were both there some years ago. Dr. Culbreth at that time being a member of the Senate from Columbus and Robeson counties. Just as he had launched out into the body of his speech, a car came sweeping up in front of the stand from another meeting held down town and about fifty of the "sovereigns" set up a yell that interrupted the proceedings for a minute or two. Col. Morton went on with his speech, outlining his position on the several public questions. His position on the Jim Crow car for the trolley system in Wilmington was received with loud acclaim. The first personality of the evening came when he charged Dr. Culbreth with at one time being a lecturer of the Farmer's Alliance, which he charged was the anti-chamber of the Populist party. When Col. Morton was through, Dr. Culbreth craved the indulgence of the audience while he was heard in rejoinder. He defended his position as a member of the Farmer's Alliance, saying that it was composed of men who earned their daily bread by the sweat of their brow, but that when it went bodily in to the hands of the enemy, he forsook it for the Democratic party. He also explained his position with reference to a bill he had passed in the Legislature to relieve a defaulting sheriff of Columbus county.

Col. Morton did not avail himself of the opportunity of a rejoinder but as he concluded his speech, a Mr. Fisher, a traveling man interrupted his departure from the platform to ask

how he stood on the reduction of passenger fares in this State. Col. Morton explained the laws as they obtained in other States, declared himself in favor of enlarging the powers of the Railroad Commission so as to compel the railroads to furnish themselves with appliances and roadbed to make life and limb safe to the public and after that for the Corporation Commission to reduce fares compatible with the earnings of the roads.

When Col. Morton was through, Alderman W. W. King was called out and made a red hot speech in advocacy of the candidacy of Col. Morton and some of the principles he enunciated.

Following Mr. King, there were calls for Justice G. W. Bornemann who took occasion to thank the voters of his ward for the gentlemanly courteous manner in which they had acted and announcing his candidacy for re-election as magistrate of the county.

Chairman G. J. Boney, late representative from New Hanover and chairman of the recent convention, was next called out and took occasion to thank his friends and supporters for what they had done for him in the past, declaring that he had rather have the endorsement of the First and Fifth wards and not be elected than to not have their endorsement and be elected by the other wards. He then declared himself for Dr. N. M. Culbreth for the Legislature as opposed to Col. Morton. Immediately there were shouts for Morton and Mr. Boney was unable to proceed. He clamored for recognition and inveighed against the discourtesy of being called out and then silenced by men who should be his friends. But it was clearly a George Morton crowd and Mr. Boney hung his leg across the rail of the stand and said that he was called out to speak and he was there all night for that purpose. Col. Morton finally mounted the stand and asked in the interest of fair play for all sides to be heard. But immediately Mr. Boney began to speak again some one asked him how about George Bellamy and there was more clamor. Mr. Boney finally said that he didn't have to ask George Morton for a privilege to speak to his fellow citizens, used some pretty hot language at the treatment he had received and left the platform.

William J. Bellamy, Esq., was next called out and made a brief address along general lines. After Mr. Bellamy's speech the crowd began to dwindle but the more active partisans of the several candidates remained on the ground and discussed the events of the evening with a variety of comment.

The crowd was made up largely of Fifth ward voters, though there were many candidates and their friends from the other wards who were shaking hands and comparing notes. Frequently the shouts for the Legislative candidates would give way to cheers and counter cheers for sheriff over which there is also being waged a rather spectacular campaign.

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BASEBALL THIS AFTERNOON.

Fort Caswell and Strong Local Team to Meet at Hilton Park.

There will be a fast game of baseball this afternoon between a picked team of players from Wilmington and Fort Caswell at Hilton Park this afternoon and the game will be the last rally of the faithful this season. The Fort Caswell team, accompanied by the post band, of 25 pieces, will reach the city this morning, and the game will be called at 3:30 o'clock. An admission fee of 25 cents will be charged to help defray the expenses of the visiting team and it is hoped to have a large attendance. The local team will be composed of King, L. catch; Wilson, pitch; Jordan, center; Montgomery, first base; Pope, left field; Dooler, right field.

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utes of Respect, Resolutions of Thanks,
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tisements, but only half rates when
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District: Oliver H. Allen, of Lenoir.

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Duffy, of Onslow.

FREE ALCOHOL DISTILLERIES.

Now comes the hint that a clause
in the denatured alcohol bill passed
by the last Congress contains a clause
which renders the act favorable to the
formation of a monopoly instead of
tending to the establishment of numer-
ous distilleries all over the country.
The act removed the tax from denat-
ured alcohol and it will go into effect
on the 1st of next January.

In Germany an act of Parliament
encourages and fosters the distillation
and denaturing of alcohol, and accord-
ing to the recently published report
of Consul General Thackara of Ber-
lin, Germany last year operated 72,
172 alcohol distilleries, of which 57,
635, the "Materialbrennerien," were
small farm distilleries. In Germany the
consumption of alcohol for light,
heat and power, which amounted to
some 27,000,000 gallons in 1905, has in-
creased over seven fold in the past
seventeen years. The vastly cheaper
facilities for production in the United
States would increase almost geomet-
rically its consumption in this coun-
try—unless there be, as has been
hinted, certain features of the new act
that favor the formation of a monop-
oly.

The clause which has occasioned
this sinister suspicion was an amend-
ment by the Senate to the bill after it
passed the house and reads as fol-
lows:

"...such denaturing to be done
upon the application of any registered
distiller in denaturing bonded ware-
houses specially designated or set
apart for denaturing purposes only,
and under conditions prescribed by the
Commissioner of Internal Revenue
with the approval of the Secretary of
the Treasury."

The New York Times calls attention
to the above clause and says:

"Will the small farmers of this coun-
try be benefitted by the new Tax Free
Alcohol act, which is to become effec-
tive the first of next January? Will
they be allowed to contribute their

corn, their potatoes, beets, sorghum,
berries, fruits, grape pressings, and
other by-products to the annual dis-
tillation of the 100,000,000 or so gal-
lons of denatured alcohol that may
within a few years be utilized in the
United States for the purpose of
light, heat and power?"

The Times says the impression is
that the clause referred to is not like
the German legislation, for the en-
couragement of the alcohol industry.
The act of our Congress, it is held in
some quarters, does not favor the
small farmer, who in Germany thrives
by his rotting windfalls and crop
wastage into some 200 or 300 gallons
of alcohol yearly, but the registered
distiller, denaturing his product in
"specially designated" and, possibly,
widely separated, bonded warehouses
may become the beneficiary of the
act.

The Times takes a more optimistic
view and says:

"This is not, we think, the true in-
terpretation. In the first place, the
clause is inimical to the interests of
the 'moonshiner,' who might make
the act a shield while defrauding the
Government. Besides, the agricultural
stills of Germany are not always situ-
ated on the owners' farms, but fre-
quently belong to a co-operative soci-
ety of farmers, some having an out-
put of 100,000 or more annually. Just
as, following the introduction in re-
cent years of the patented cream sepa-
rator, creamery plants of great or mod-
est proportions have sprung up among
groups of farmers in every grazing dis-
trict of the United States, so, not im-
probably, a commensurate growth of
duly registered alcohol distilleries and
bonded warehouses may soon be ob-
served alongside of the creameries and
the still older cheese factories. They
may be run co-operatively by the farm-
ers or by individual capitalists. And
as the purpose of the framers of the
act was to provide the country with
an absolutely unlimited supply of un-
taxed alcohol, to compete with com-
mon kerosene and gasoline, it is diffi-
cult to believe that the discretion of
the Commissioner of Internal Revenue
and the Secretary of the Treasury
will be abused to the extent of limit-
ing the designation of bonded ware-
houses below the point necessary for
convenient storage and for denaturing
purposes."

It must be observed, however, that
it is in their power to do so, and if
a Republican administration can favor
the "big interests" it never loses the
opportunity to do it.

CAN'T STAND FOR UNCLE JOE.

Alluding to the fact that the name
of Speaker Cannon got very little ap-
plause in Asheville, when Secretary
Shaw mentioned it in his speech a few
days ago, the Raleigh News and Ob-
server remarks:

"North Carolina people are not in
the habit of working themselves into
excitement over the recollection that
"Uncle Joe" Cannon was born within
the limits of this commonwealth, since
the distinguished Speaker of the
House has never thought enough of
his native State to set foot within her
borders since he departed these parts
in early life and has never slighted
an opportunity to oppose his official
influence in her interests. Secretary
Shaw should have thought of this be-
fore asking his auditors at Asheville
to applaud the mention of the Speak-
ers' name."

Uncle Joe might make amends
and get the applause of North Caroli-
nians by favoring the bill to establish
the Appalachian Forest Reserve. How-
ever, he has heretofore blocked its pas-
sage and that is another reason why
we should not be expected to throw up
our hats and go into conniption fits
over him just because he was born in
North Carolina.

ANOTHER WELL-KNOWN NEWS-
PAPER MAN DEAD.

The Star deeply regrets to note the
death of Mr. Claude A. Matthews, city
editor of the Charlotte Evening News,
who passed away on Thursday night
at Asheville, where he had gone with
the hope of regaining his health. Mr.
Matthews was one of the State's best
newspaper men, and was possessed of
the fine personality, alertness and ca-
pability which go to make up the re-
quirements for the work which he did
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whiskey habit, and I can truly say that
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that make life worth living out of
these ten years, than out of double
that time before taking the treatment;
notwithstanding the former period
embraced the years of my young man-
hood. My stay there was both pleas-
ant and profitable from every stand-
point. I found there a lot of high-toned
honorable gentlemen, representing
many of the higher professions, and a
high class of citizenship, but the curse
of strong drink had come upon their
lives, and they were there to be re-
stored to their former selves, as well
as to restore happiness to their loved
one at home.

Human wrecks I saw transformed
in a few days into splendid specimens
of manhood. I must believe that it
possesses virtues that are not appre-
ciated by the uninitiated. It puts a
man on his feet and makes him feel
once more that he is the equal of
other men. He can look the world
in the face and start the race of life
with a brighter future to light the
way. I have seen many instances of
how the Keeley Treatment helps a
man in business. The business world
will not trust a drunkard however hon-
est; it does no good to swear off, for
he has sworn off before. But business
men have recognized the success of
the Treatment, and in addition to the
other blessings it brings renewed con-
fidence in a business sense.

The beautiful and quiet surround-
ings at the Keeley Institute at Green-
sboro, together with the uniform kind-
ness of the officers and the employees
made it an ideal place for a man to
go to have his shattered nerves re-
stored.

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Pleasant Garden, N. C. Dec. 1, 1904.
Send names and addresses of those
who may be benefitted to the Keeley
Institute, Greensboro, N. C.

Mr. J. C. Abernethy, managing editor
of the Charlotte Observer, the death
of these two members of the frater-
nity is a distinctive loss to journalism
in North Carolina. They were valuable
men to the staffs upon which they
served with such signal ability as to
attract attention all over the State.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Some men run so hard for an of-
fice that they can do nothing but rest
after they get it.—Dallas News.

—According to Senator Rayner's op-
inion, Mr. Bryan has a backdown clause
in his government ownership ideas.—
Baltimore Sun.

—If it took all the Republican orators
to save a Republican stronghold
like Maine, what will be the result in
close districts.—Baltimore Sun.

—A good many of the vacationists
are returning from mountain and sea-
shore only to discover that the gas
metet has been working right along
—Washington Post.

—Cuba is becoming more American-
ized than was at first thought. Some
of the leading insurgents against the
President of that republic are mem-
bers of Congress.—Hartford Times.

—When Mr. Bryan finishes off Roger
Sullivan he will have to tackle the
Hon. Joseph W. Bailey at once, and
by that time John Sharp Williams will
be on deck.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

—Mr. Hearst may be, as Mr. Je-
rome says, "intellectually sterile, so-
cially vulgar, and morally obtuse,"
but his friends insist that he has no
serious faults.—Richmond Times-Dis-
patch.

—The Republic of Panama is debat-
ing the choice of "speel" features for
the entertainment of President Roose-
velt. We suggest an allegorical rep-
resentation of a Big Stick turned into
a spade.—New York Evening Post.

—Some of the politicians down in
Georgia think Hoke Smith is the man
who can take the Presidential nomina-
tion away from Bryan. Perhaps he
can in Georgia, but that isn't the
whole country.—Philadelphia Press.

—A contemporary chronicles the
statement that 121 arrests, the ma-
jority of which were drunkenness and
disorderly conduct, were made in Ra-
leigh during the month of August.
Evidently the dispensary is living up
to its name as a dispenser of spirits
and to its reputation as a force of
moral uplift. It must, therefore, be
accounted a signal success.—Charlotte
Observer.

—It is not all going one way—not
by any means. Occasionally there is
a gleam of sunshine through the murk
and fog of radical politics and new
theories. It cleared up a bit in Con-
necticut yesterday, when the Demo-
crats in convention assembled forbore
to make any mention of Bryan in
their platform. Mr. Bryan visited the
State a day or two ago, and he has
some broad-chested and big-lunged ad-

vocates in that Commonwealth. But
the Democrats kept him out of the
platform, which is a particularly good
sign. The Democrats of Connecticut
are not ready for public ownership of
the railroads.—New York Times
(Ind.), Sept. 13.

TWINKLINGS.

—"Yes a woman caused me down-
fall." "How is that?" "She yelled
for the police."—Puck.

—Mabel—You have been eating
onions! Jack—If you can notice such
a thing as that when I kiss you, Mabel
you don't love me—that's all—Chicago
Tribune.

Magistrate—Were you ever arrest-
ed before? Bill the Bite—Wuz I ever
arrested be four? Not on your life!
It always took six or more fur ter
run me in.—Philadelphia Press.

The Doctor—You are to take ten
drops in a wine glassful of water after
each meal. The Patient—Doctor, as
a member of the W. C. T. U. I object
to the wine glass.—Brooklyn Life.

—"The good than men do," said
Uncle Allen Sparks, "may be interred
with their bones, as the poet says, but
the good they don't do will be found
mentioned on their tombstones!"—
Chicago Tribune.

—"Very well, sir," cried Dr. Kwack,
after his quarrel with the undertaker.
"I'll make you sorry for this." "What
are you going to do?" sneered the
undertaker, "retire from practice?"—
Philadelphia Press.

—"How in the world, Mrs. Wisely,
do you manage to have all your three
daughters in so early when they
spend the evening out?" "The last
one home has to get breakfast next
morning."—Pearson's Weekly.

—Autoist—Ran over some one as
I came down from the club, but I
guess no harm was done. Friend—
Didn't you stop to see? Autoist—
Stop, no; the machine seemed to run
along all right.—Boston Transcript.

—"As for me," said the girl with
the high brow, "I wouldn't marry the
best man living!" "Don't be alarmed,
my dear," replied the youth with the
noisy tie, "I had no intention of pro-
posing to you."—Chicago Daily News.

—The Portrait Agent—One notices
a great many stoop-shouldered men
in this vicinity. Due to hard work, I
suppose? The Storekeeper—Nuthin',
else, b'gosh! Totin' around the aver-
age crop of whiskers peculiar to these
here parts ain't no sinner, I tell
you!—Puck.

—Of course, your constituents
want a man who is perfectly frank
and honest. "Yes," answered Sena-
tor Sorghum. "At the same time most
of them have no objections to my
working through river and harbor ap-
propriations for places that never see
two feet of water except when it
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mington, N. C. july1-1f

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to examine both wheels from time to
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cumstance to put on any more Graph-
ite Axle Grease as long as the Axle
was black and shiny, showing the
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The driver reported that after he
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tember 10—15—1906. One first class
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Greater Charlotte Chautauqua, Septem-
ber 9-16 1906 one and one third first
class fares for round trip, tickets sold
Sept. 10-12-13-14, final limit Sept. 17.

San Francisco and Los Angeles, Cal.,
and return, account Baptist Con-
vention, Sept. 12-19, tickets sold Sept. 2
to 13, final limit October 31, rates
about one first class fare for round
trip.

Atlanta, Ga. and return, account
National Dental Association, Sept. 14-
21, one first class fare plus 25 cents
round trip, tickets sold Sept. 12 and 13,
final limit Sept. 25.

Toronto, Canada, and return, ac-
count Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. Sept.
15-22 rates about one first class fare
for round trip, tickets sold Sept. 12, 13
14 and 15 final limit Sept. 24, limit
can be extended until October 24 on
payment of \$1.00.

Denver, Colorado Springs and Pube-
lo, Colo. and return, account Pike's
Peak Centennial Celebration Septem-
ber 23-29, about one first class fare
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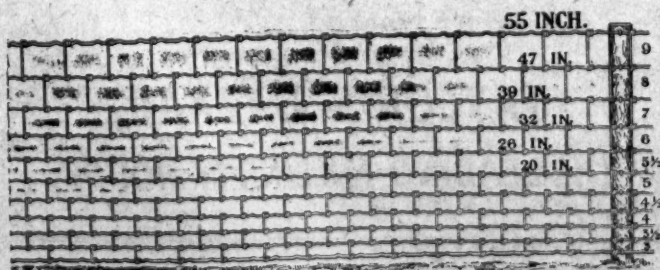
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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—The Republican county convention at Wilson on Thursday nominated J. H. Newsome by the Senate, and Joseph D. Peels for the House.

—At Raleigh on Wednesday Mr. Herman Heller, treasurer, paid to Mrs. Mamie G. Lewis, widow of the late Engineer Frank B. Lewis, \$3,000, the amount of Mr. Lewis' insurance in the Royal Arcanum.

Governor Glenn left Raleigh on Thursday for Charlotte where last night he spoke at the Chautauque. On Saturday he speaks at the Democratic county convention in Shelby and will be again in Raleigh on Monday morning to welcome Hon. W. J. Bryan and join him on his tour of the State.

—Mr. T. K. Bruner and Mr. C. W. Brimley, of the Agricultural Department, left Raleigh on Thursday for Boston, where North Carolina is to have an exhibit at the Boston Food Fair which begins October first. The State has sent a good exhibit and it will be in the Mechanical Building of the Paul Revere Hall.

—Jordan Crow, a negro living six miles south of Mount Olive was struck by lightning about noon on Thursday, and he and his mule, which he had just hitched to a cart to haul some cotton from the field, were both killed. He was one of the old-fashioned slave darkies, was over seventy years old and well respected.

—A charter has been secured from the Secretary of State for the Farmers' Merchandise Company to do a general wholesale and retail merchandise business at Selma. The paid in capital is \$12,000 with power to increase to \$50,000. Some of the wealthiest and most influential people of the community are stockholders.

—Wilson is to have a natatorium. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Privett have leased to Dr. N. B. Herring and Mr. R. J. Grantham, for a term of ten years, a plot of land on Tolson Creek below the water works pumping station. The lessees will have ready by next spring a bathing pool, constructed of concrete, bath houses and a pavilion. It will be located in a fine grove and situated only one mile from the city limits.

—Miss Sophia Lanneau, a daughter of Prof. and Mrs. John F. Lanneau, of Wake Forest, left on Thursday for Porto Rico to teach in the public schools. Last year she took a course at the Baptist Theological Seminary to prepare herself for missionary work. She is, in a way, carrying out this year the purposes of her work at the Seminary. Miss Lanneau graduated at the Baptist University for Women in Raleigh a few years ago with distinction.

—The present Board of Directors on the part of the State for the Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad were reappointed by Gov. Glenn on Thursday, at Raleigh, for the ensuing year as was also the present State's proxy. The directors are L. G. Daniels, Newbern; J. W. Granger, Kinston; W. S. Chadwick, Beaufort; L. P. Tapp, Kinston; C. M. Buebee, Raleigh; D. B. Hooker, Bayboro; W. D. Creech, Goldsboro; and T. D. Warren, Trenton, State's proxy. The annual meeting will be held September 27.

—The full list of speakings appointed in this State for the Hon. Wm. J. Bryan, with the exact time in some cases yet to be named, is: Raleigh, September 17, 11:30 a. m.; Durham, September 17; Burlington, September 17; Greensboro, September 17, 8 p. m.; Kernersville, September 18, 8:30 p. m.; Winston-Salem, September 18, 11 a. m.; High Point, September 18; Lexington, September 18; Salisbury, September 18, 8:10 p. m.; Concord, September 18, 6 p. m.; Charlotte, September 18, 8 p. m.

—Col. Harry Skinner, U. S. District Attorney, returned on Thursday from Raleigh to his home in Greenville after spending several days in his office at Raleigh. He is preparing now for the opening of the Federal court at Washington, N. C. on the second Monday in October. The other courts for the fall circuit in the eastern district will be Elizabeth City on the third Monday, at Newbern on the fourth Monday in October, at Wilmington on the first Monday in November, and at Raleigh on the first Monday in December.

—Raleigh News and Observer: Mr. W. A. Scott, the assistant Commissioner of Insurance has returned from Wadesboro, where he secured a true bill against Clem Ingram, colored, for burning the barn of Mrs. Katherine Atkinson, but the case has not been called for trial yet. Judge Scott went to Pittsboro where a case against Correna Foster, colored for burning a barn and dwelling owned by Johnson & Johnson at Merry Oaks was heard before Magistrate Barnes and the woman bound over to court under \$200 bond.

—Durham—Special September 13: General J. S. Carr, commander of the North Carolina division of Confederate veterans, has returned from Petersburg, where he went to give an order for placing the memorial window in the old Blandford church in memory of the 27,000 North Carolina

dead who fell in and about Petersburg. This window was ordered by the veterans at the recent meeting and General Carr went to Petersburg to carry out the wishes of the veterans. In addition to the North Carolina window there are three other memorial windows ordered placed in this old church—these in memory of soldiers from Louisiana, Mississippi and Maryland.

—Selma News: At a regular meeting of the directors of the knitting mill on last Monday, so gratified were they at the outlook for the enterprise that it was voted to raise the capital stock to the full limit under the charter of \$25,000. There seems to be no apparent difficulty in raising the desired amount. Twenty machines are now knitting hosiery, and it is intended to increase the number to make the production 750 dozen pairs of hose a week. On the same day the Selma Cotton Mills, through the unanimous action of its directors, issued a call to the stockholders for the purpose of doubling the present capacity of that money-making enterprise. No opposition whatever is anticipated in the stockholders' meeting, and right soon 5,000 more spindles will be humming at the Selma Cotton Mills.

—Charlotte Special, Sept. 13: Great preparations are now in progress for the big reception to be given William Jennings Bryan on his visit here September 18th. The speaking will take place in Vance Park, as has been announced, at eight o'clock. Mr. Bryan will arrive at seven o'clock at the Southern station, where he will be met with carriages and automobiles, by a committee of representative citizens and escorted to the Southern Manufacturers' club, where he will dine. He will be conveyed immediately afterward to Vance Park, which will be brilliantly lighted, and where ample provision will be made for the accommodation and comfort of the immense throng that is expected. Mr. W. C. Dowd will act as master of ceremonies. Congressman E. Yates Webb will introduce the distinguished guest.

—Kenansville Eastern Carolina News: Fred Peed, the negro who murdered Ed. Graham, another negro, at the Cape Fear Lumber Company camp in this county on August 4th, and who escaped to parts unknown, was captured at Dover last Wednesday and taken to Goldsboro jail. Peed claims that he killed Graham in self-defense. He says that Graham had threatened his life and was advancing on him with an open knife when he seized an axe and killed him. It is said that they were both bad negroes. Peed was working at a lumber mill at the time of his capture. Sheriff Middleton was after him and sent Deputy Sheriff John S. Herring to Dover during court here and had him confined in the Goldsboro jail for safe keeping. Fred Peed is 30 years of age. His trial will come up at the November term of court, before Judge E. B. Jones.

—Durham Special, Sept. 13: Dr. Tait Butler, State veterinarian, was here to-day from Raleigh. He came up to look into the cause of the death of numerous cattle in this immediate section, especially at the Chapel Hill Road Dairy farm. This is owned by J. T. Fowler, of this city. In two weeks he has lost twenty-seven head in this section. The death of so many cows at the dairy farm became of such interest that Dr. Butler came up here to look into the cause of death. Before leaving for his home this afternoon Dr. Butler said that the tick or Texas fever was the cause of such a high death rate in the dairy establishment. He advised with the management as to what should be done, this after making a thorough inspection of the premises and examination of the cattle. Mr. Fowler had a herd of fifty head before the epidemic and Dr. Butler said to-day that he would lose several more before the dying was at an end. As soon as the management of the dairy farm found two weeks ago that the cattle were ill the sale of milk and butter in the city was stopped.

Raleigh News and Observer, Sept. 14: Col. Jos. E. Pogue returned yesterday from Norfolk, where he attended the meeting of the North Carolina Commissioners to the Jamestown Exposition, of which he is a member. Col. Pogue says that the Commissioners were treated royally by the people of Norfolk and the Jamestown Exposition authorities. The North Carolina site was accepted, the space of 2,500 feet being doubled. A permanent building on plans yet to be determined will be erected at a cost of from \$20,000 to \$25,000, some of the money to be raised by citizens of this State. The building site is on the river front and is an excellent place. The members of the North Carolina Commission present were: Col. Joseph E. Pogue, of Raleigh; Mr. H. C. Dockery, of Rockingham; Mr. G. W. Hinshaw, of Wadesboro; Mr. D. C. Barnes, of Murfreesboro; Mr. E. L. Daughtridge, of Rocky Mount; Mr. George S. Powell, of Tarboro; Mr. D. J. Carpenter, of Newton; and Mr. J. W. Atkinson, of Wilmington. The only absentees were: Mr. U. B. Blalock and Dr. John Faison, of Faison.

Raleigh News and Observer, Sept. 14: Dan Briggs, a negro, at one time a convict pardoned by Governor Russell after he had been sentenced to be hanged, often on the roads of Wake county, is in the lock-up after an at-

Autumn Attractions



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MEN AND BOYS

Silverman's Make for Men in all Colors, \$8.00 to \$20.00 Suit.

The best Boys' Clothing for the least money. Try an Ow brand, sizes 6 to 17 years, price 25 to \$50.

The BUSTER BROWN STOCKING



Buster Brown Hose

Boys' and Girls' Buster Brown Hose 25 cents.

Ladies' Buster Brown Hose 15 cents per pair, 2 pairs for 25c.

Slipper Sale This Week

LADIES'

\$1.00 SLIPPERS, NOW 75c.	\$2.50 SLIPPERS, NOW \$2.00	\$1.25 SLIPPERS, NOW 95c
\$3.50 AND \$3.00 SLIPPERS, NOW \$2.75	\$1.50 AND \$2.00 SLIPPERS, NOW \$1.25	WHITE SLIPPERS, BELOW COST

MEN'S AND BOYS'

\$1.25 SLIPPERS, NOW 95c.	\$1.50 SLIPPERS, NOW \$1.19	\$1.75 SLIPPERS, NOW \$1.39
\$2.00 AND \$2.50 SLIPPERS, NOW \$1.75	\$3.00 SLIPPERS, NOW \$2.25	\$3.50 AND \$4.00 SLIPPERS, NOW \$3.00

Geo. O. Gaylord THREE STORES 208-210-212.

The Lester \$3 Hat for men
Sept 2-11

Headlight Overalls \$1.

tempt to kill his wife and children with a butcher knife and a hatchet. Dan Briggs is a well-known bad character, and in a not unusual drunken condition went home last night, carrying with him some fruit, but after getting to his home on South Blount street got ugly. With a butcher knife he attacked his wife, threatening to kill her and his children, who were in the room. The woman managed to get her fingers about Dan's throat and held him while the children fled for help. Finally Briggs' wife got him out of the house, having gotten the knife from him and barricaded the door. Dan got a hatchet outside and was at the house again after his wife when the police arrived, having been summoned by friends to whom the children applied. He was arrested and taken to the guard house. While Dan Briggs is a bad character his wife

and children are industrious and well thought of by those who know them.

THE BREATH OF LIFE.

It is a significant fact that the strongest animal of its size, the gorilla, also has the strongest lungs means powerful creatures. How to keep the breathing organs right should be man's chiefest study. Like thousands of others, Mrs. Ora A. Stephens, of Port Williams, O., has learned how to do this. She writes: "Three bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery stopped my cough of two years and cured me of what my friends thought consumption. O, it's grand for throat and lung troubles." Guaranteed by all druggists. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

Star Advertisements bring quick results.

Read Star Business Locals.

The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

Saturday, September 15, 1906.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.
Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 15, 1906.
Meteorological data for the 24
hours ending 8 P. M., Friday, Sept.
14th.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 75 degrees;
8 P. M. 80 degrees; maximum, 89 de-
grees; minimum, 74 degrees, mean, 82
degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall
since first of the month to date, 2.27
inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear River
Thursday, 5.5 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Saturday
and Sunday, cooler Saturday in east
portion; fresh northeast winds be-
coming brisk off Hatteras.

PORT ALMANAC—Sept. 15.

Sun Rises 5:42 A. M.
Sun Sets 6:08 P. M.
Day's Length 12 hrs, 39 min.
High Water at Southport, 5:24 P. M.
High Water at Wilmington, 7:54 P. M.

AT THE ACADEMY.

"Sultan of Sulu" To-night—Field's
Greater Minstrels Monday.

The operatic novelty, "The Sultan
of Sulu," is secured for an engage-
ment to night at the Academy.

This musical satire is by George
Ade, of "Fables in Slang" fame. The
lyrics were well written in the famous
humorist's best vein and are worthy
of Gilbert's best efforts. "The Sultan
of Sulu" ranks with "Patience," "Pin-
afore," "The Mikado" and other Gil-
bert and Sullivan masterpieces when
they were in the zenith of their popu-
larity. It has established records for
attendance and runs in many of the
principal cities, and its popularity
seems to increase every season.

Musical numbers that have had
much to do with the increasing popu-
larity of "The Sultan of Sulu" are:
"Ki-Ram's Wedding March," "The
Smiling Isle of Sulu," "The Military
Hike" song, "Since I First Met You,"
"Engaged in a sort of Way," "The
U. S. A.," "My Sulu Lulu Loo,"
"RE-MO-R-SE" and Rosabella Cla-
noy. The words were supplied by
George Ade, the Hoosier humorist, and
are written in his happiest vein; and
the music, which is of the kind that
is destined to be whistled, was com-
posed by Alfred G. Wathall.

Press Eldridge, the "Commander-in-
chief of the Army of Fun," has been
engaged by the Al. G. Field Greater
Minstrels, which plays an engagement
at the Academy Monday night. This
gentleman has an international rep-
utation as a fun-maker, having played
in the leading theatres of both Eu-
rope and America for the last de-
cade. This is his season with the
Field forces.

Seats for Monday night are now on
sale. There is no advance on the
prices.

TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

Inexcusable drunkenness and ex-
cusable sickness (though the cause of
the former is now removed) have so
handicapped the Star in its mechanical
department recently that we have
been unable to get the paper to press
on time for early delivery. We have
arrangements nearly perfected, how-
ever, for a complement of sober, com-
petent men. We therefore ask the in-
dulgence of our subscribers, both in
and out of town, for a few days.

VERY ANNOYING

This Hardly Expresses What Wilming-
ton People Say of It.

Any itchiness of the skin is annoy-
ing.

Little danger in itching diseases.
But they make you miserable.
Doan's Ointment is a never-failing
cure.

For Piles, Eczema, all itching trou-
bles.

Wilmington citizens endorse it.
C. S. Hollen, printer on the Morn-
ing Messenger, residing at 419 Grace
street says: "I had used several rem-
edies to get relief from itching piles
but without any good results. Learn-
ing of Doan's Ointment I obtained it
at Bellamy's drug store. It acted im-
mediately and proved so effective that
I am entirely cured of the affliction.
I found it to be a most excellent rem-
edy."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50
cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo,
New York, sole agents for the United
States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and
take no other.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has
been used for over 60 years by mil-
lions of mothers for their children
while teething, with perfect success.
It soothes the child, softens the gums,
allays all pain, cures wind colic, and
is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It
will relieve the poor little sufferer im-
mediately. Sold by Druggists in every
part of the world. Twenty-five cents
bottle. Be sure and ask for Mrs.
Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take
no other.

Star advertisements brings quick
results

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. C. D. Sedberry, of Fayette-
ville, was a guest at The Orton yes-
terday.

—Miss Clayton, of Rocky Point, is
in the city on a visit to relatives and
friends.

—Mr. R. D. Kelly, of Canetuck, Pen-
der county, was among the pleasant
callers at the Star office yesterday.

—Miss Hattie Taylor returned yes-
terday from the northern markets
where she has been purchasing mil-
linery for Taylor's Bazaar.

—Miss Stella Potts returned yes-
terday morning to her home in Win-
ston-Salem after a pleasant visit to
her sister, No. 817 Orange street.

—Eastern Carolina News: "Mrs. B.
C. Bowden will leave this week for
Wilmington to spend some time with
her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Shepard."

—Editor J. Edgar Dupree, of the
Chadbourn Trucker, arrived last night
and left on the early train to visit his
mother near Raleigh. He will return
by Raleigh to take in the Bryan speak-
ing.

—Sheriff Frank H. Stedman re-
turned last night from Black Mountain,
Greensboro and Fayetteville. Mrs.
Stedman and little daughter will re-
main at Black Mountain until October.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

First Baptist Church, Rev. Fred. D.
Hale, D. D., pastor: Preaching to-
morrow 11 A. M. and 8:15 P. M. Sun-
day School 4:30 P. M. Prayer meet-
ing Wednesday 8:15 P. M. B. Y. P. U.
Friday 8:15 P. M. Public cordially in-
vited to all services.

Services First Presbyterian church,
corner Third and Orange streets, Rev.
J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor, to-morrow
at 11 A. M. No afternoon service.
Prayer meeting Wednesday night at
8:15 o'clock. Rev. J. S. Craley will
fill the pulpit in the absence of the
pastor.

Immanuel Presbyterian church,
Front and Queen streets, Rev. J. S.
Crowley, pastor: Sabbath services at
11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday School
at 10 A. M. A cordial invitation to all.
St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church,
corner Fourth and Campbell streets.
Rev. Alex. D. McClure, D. D., pastor.
Sabbath services at 11 a. m. and 8 p.
m. Sabbath school at 4 p. m.; W. C. E.
society at 7:15 p. m.; prayer meeting
and lecture Wednesday at 8 p. m.
The public cordially invited—Seats
free. Religious services will be con-
ducted at the Seaman's Bethel to-
morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock by the
chaplain. Seamen and rivermen are
especially invited. All are welcome.

WEEKLY TRAP SHOOT.

Empie Won Medal Yesterday After
Shooting Off Tie.

The weekly trap shoot on the
grounds of the Wilmington Gun Club
yesterday afternoon was one of the
most interesting yet held and attract-
ed a goodly number. Empie was high
gun for the medal after shooting off
a tie of 24 out of 25 targets with
Stokely and Truelove. The scores of
the club were as follows, events of
25 targets each:

Stokely	24	20
Harriss	19	20
Warren	21	22
Boushee	22	24
Howell	19	—
Penny	22	17
Bellamy, R. R.	18	16
Fuchs	10	10
Richardson	11	11
Sanders	14	20
Dreher	22	21
Oldenbittel	17	20
Russell	22	20
Rehder	12	13
Perdew	17	—
Merriman	21	11
Koonce	17	—
Truelove	24	15
Hergenrother	14	16
Boylan	22	16

SPECIAL RATES TO RALEIGH, N.
C., AND RETURN ACCOUNT OF
THE STATE FAIR, OCTO-
BER 15th TO 20th, 1906.

The Seaboard announces rate of
one first class fare plus fifty cents
including admission from all points
in the State of North Carolina, in-
cluding Richmond, Norfolk and Inter-
mediate points in Virginia. Low
round trip rates for Military Compa-
nies and Bands in uniform. Tickets will
be sold October 12th to 19th inclu-
sive and for early morning trains
of October 20th, with final return
limit of October 23rd.

Special trains will be arranged from
points between Weldon, Oxford, Ham-
let and Raleigh. See announcement
later, or address:

C. H. GATTIS,
Traveling Passenger Agent,
Raleigh, N. C.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Hamm—Clothing and Hats.
Thos. C. James—For Sheriff.
Royal Shoes—The Shoe that Proves.
Business Local.

Wanted—Three Unfurnished Rooms.
You are wasting time if you are
waiting for nature to do all the work.
Everybody needs a little help, so does
nature; assist her by taking a course
of Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea.
Tea or Tablets 35 cents. J. Hicks
Bunting Drug Co. xx

DISTRESSING TRAGEDY
OF YESTERDAY MORNING

(Continued from page one.)

ago and was for some years travel-
ing salesman for Williams Bros., of
this city. For the past few months
he had represented the Southern Scale
and Fixtures Co., of Columbia, S. C.,
and was doing well in that capacity.
He was a young man of generous im-
pulses, true to his friends and a cour-
ageous fellow. His taking away un-
der such distressing circumstances is
greatly to be deplored. He was
about 25 years of age and was born
in Augusta, Ky., though his mother,
one sister and a brother now live in
Covington, Ky. A personal friend, Mr.
F. Carley West, of this city, notified
them of the death yesterday and took
charge of all the funeral arrangements.
A large number of Mr. Williams' friends
were at the church yesterday
afternoon to pay tribute to the mem-
ory of the young man, and a number
of floral tributes, all of them very
handsome, were laid on the grave.
The pall bearers were from among
the many young men friends of the
deceased in this city. In this connec-
tion the following very pretty tribute
to the memory of the young man is
paid by a number of his friends in
this city:

"Pete" Williams.

The sad and tragic death which so
shocked our entire community reminds
us that the good men do is often con-
signed with the casket to forgetful-
ness, and in the endless darkness,
virtues lie forever hidden, hence these
friendly lines are penned in kindly
memory of one whose life held much
that was generous and good.

Pete Williams made no pretense of
any counterfeit virtues, but the inher-
ent good in his manly heart was not
hidden from the world with which he
came in contact. The charitable heart
of a kindly community will not con-
demn a whole life-time of smiles, help-
fulness and loyalty to friends and loved
ones.

He was fairer to others than to him-
self. No coward drop was in his
veins, and no one will doubt that the
curtain went down upon his short
life as he played the role of a fearless
peacemaker.

There was no cringe or tremble, but
to the end he was true to his real
character and played the part of a
man.

He was kindly human, with the frail-
ties of humanity. He made no other
claim, but many a heart will miss
"Pete's" loyalty, and with his death
ended a cheerful support, lovingly
given his aged mother through the
years of his young manhood. No ap-
peal for aid that he could meet was
turned away, and in his own life's
struggle he ever sympathized with the
struggles and hardships of others.
The sin of the thousand are of-
times visited upon one, and the life
of Pete Williams such as we knew it
to be, was no better, nor worse than
the lives of thousands admired and
respected and for whom fate decrees
a kinder destiny.

The friends who knew him best
can say to the world that with all his
faults, in the shadow of lifes sad end-
ing, we love him still and appeal to
generous hearts that his faults be
written upon the sands, his virtues
upon the hearts of love and memory.

FRIENDS.

Elderly Lady Broke an Arm.

Mrs. Pickett, an elderly lady living
on Tenth, between Queen and Wooster
streets, fell from the door of her
home early last night and suffered a
fracture of the arm. She was taken
to Hall's drug store where she was
given temporary attention and later
sent to the hospital.

Bad breath, coated tongue, a lan-
guid feeling, is entirely unnatural.
Your lazy liver and bowels need a
tonic. The best soothing tonic to
every organ is Hollister's Rocky
Mountain Tea. Tea or Tab-
lets. 35 cents. J. Hicks Bunting Drug
Co. xx

ATLANTIC NATIONAL
BANK

Now
Is the Time—
Pay Your Bills
By Check

and avoid the danger of paying the
same bill twice. The cancelled check
can be produced and serves as a re-
ceipt for the payment. Open an
account with the ATLANTIC NATION-
AL BANK now and protect your-
self against this danger.

CAPITAL \$125,000.00
SURPLUS AND PROFITS \$225,000.00
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ALL PARTIES

Having claims against Seashore Ho-
tel will please present same for pay-
ment to me at Orton Hotel before
September 15, 1906.

E. L. HINTON, Cash.

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New Idea Paper
Patterns
All Sizes
10 Cents.

J. H. Rehder & Co.
THE POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE

We have not adopted
Simplified Spelling
yet, but we may in the
Sweet bye and bye

THIS STORE CLOSSES 7 P. M. SATURDAYS 10 P. M.

SIMPLIFIED STOREKEEPING

What simplified spelling does to the King's English, simplified storekeeping
does to merchandising. That's why we can, and do sell goods at prices that are
more reasonable than most others hereabouts. The expense making features
are dropped. No fuss, or frills to increase the selling price.

But What We Want to Talk About Now is the
New Fall and Winter Coods.

We only have space to hint at a few pieces of the new stuff.

Broad Cloth should be written in large letters this season, so says the
Fashion World. Ask for 1003. That's the number. Beau-
tiful stuff, 52 inches wide. Price \$1.50 per yard. Colors: garnet, gray, tan, black,
navy and cream.

Broad Cloth, 50 inches wide; price \$1.00 per yard; black and colors. Chif-
fon quality, in black, 52 inches wide, price \$1.75 per yard.

Wool Taffeta, swell thing this season, 44 inches wide, price \$1.00 per yard.
Colors: gray, navy blue and black.

Shadow Plaids, 44 inches wide, price 75c per yard. Colors: gray, blue and
green mixtures. Others also at 50c per yard.

Cream Cheviot, 45 inches wide, price \$1.00 per yard.

Cream Voile, 42 inches wide, price 98c per yard.

Cream and black and colors in Landsdown, 40 inches wide, \$1.25.

Come Early to See the New Goods.

New Lot Kimona

Outings Received

Price 15c per yard.

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J. H. Rehder & Co.
THE POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE

Elbow Length Kid

Gloves. Black and

White. Price \$2.98.

Fresh Arrivals.

Saratoga Chips.

Oatmeal.

Sweet mixed and Mango Pickles.

Cape Fear Trading Co.,

J. B. TAYLOR,

Manager.

Phone 1013.

601 N. Fourth St

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A RELIABLE JEWELER.

I have opened a business at No. 6
North Second Street where you can
get the broken watch fixed, old clocks
made new, and every description of
jewelry repaired at short notice. I
have had years of experience in the
business, and every article which
leaves my place is guaranteed. I have
recently installed modern machinery
and tools to do up-to-date work. Give
me a trial.

JOHN O. STEWART,
apr 5-tf. 115 1-2 South Front St.



Harris Lithia Water

is nature's sovereign
remedy for the diseases
of nature, especially
those affections of the

KIDNEYS
and BLADDER

It is highly endorsed by
leading physicians and sold
at all druggists, or direct.

Write us immediately for

testimonials, prices, etc.

Hotel open June 15—Sep. 15

Harris Lithia Springs Co.

Harris Springs, S. C.

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The Southern National Bank

THE ASSETS OF THIS BANK ARE
CLEAN AND ITS POLICY IS LIBER-
AL—YET CONSERVATIVE.

ABSOLUTE SECURITY AND CON-
SIDERATE TREATMENT IS AF-
FORDED EACH CUSTOMER.

YOUR FALL BUSINESS WILL BE
APPRECIATED BY 182 STOCKHOLD-
ERS WHO OWN AND OPERATE
THIS INSTITUTION IF YOUR AC-
COUNT IS CARRIED AT

The Southern National Bank

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REMOVAL!

ON OR ABOUT SEPTEMBER 20TH

We will move into our New Quarters,
No. 114 Market street, therefore we
will dispose of our entire stock below
Cost before removal.

TAYLOR'S BAZAAR,

THE LEADING MILLINERY HOUSE,

aug 26 tf

School Shoes

For big and little
boys and girls.

Solomon's Shoe Store

Sept 9-tf.

TYNER'S DYSPEPSIA REMEDY.

Many Have Dyspepsia and Don't Know It.

Do you belch up wind? Taste your food after eating? See specks before your eyes? Are you pale and haggard? Does your heart flutter? Are you dizzy? Do you have pains in side or back? Risings on the skin? Are you low spirited? Is there a sour taste? Breath bad? If so you have Dyspepsia, and it is a dangerous condition. Don't delay, but take Tyner's Dyspepsia Remedy. It is made for just such troubles and symptoms. Tyner's Dyspepsia Remedy removes acids from the stomach, strengthens weak stomachs, helps digest your food. Sold by druggists, 50c a bottle, and in Wilmington, N. C., by J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co.

THE BREATH OF LIFE

It is a significant fact that the strongest animal of its size, the gorilla also has the largest lungs. Powerful lungs mean powerful creatures. How to keep the breathing organs right should be man's chiefest study. Like thousands of others, Mrs. Ora A. Stephens, of Port Williams O., has learned how to do this. She writes: "Three bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery stopped my cough of two years and cured me of what my friends thought consumption. O, it's grand for throat and lung troubles." Guaranteed by all druggists. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

A Cure For Dyspepsia.

If you suffer from Dyspepsia or Indigestion in any form, gas, belching, bitter taste, offensive bad breath, dizzy spells, sour stomach, heart pains, nausea, gastritis, loathing of food, pains in the stomach, then they will disappear in a short time after taking Tyner's Dyspepsia Remedy, made especially to cure Dyspepsia, Indigestion and All Stomach Troubles, even of the worst cases where doctors and other remedies had failed. Tyner's Dyspepsia Remedy for the Liver and Kidneys cures colic and Sickheadache in a few minutes. J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co., Y. M. C. A. Bldg. Call or write. Remedy sent by express.

HOLLISTER'S Rocky Mountain Tea Nuggets

A Busy Medicine for Busy People. Brings Golden Health and Renewed Vigor. A specific for Constipation, Indigestion, Liver and Kidney troubles, Pimples, Eczema, Impure Blood, Bad Breath, Sluggish Bowels, Headache and Backache. Its Rocky Mountain Tea in tablet form, 35 cents a box. Genuine made by HOLLISTER DRUG COMPANY, Madison, Wis.

GOLDEN NUGGETS FOR SALLOR PEOPLE

HAIR NATURALLY ABUNDANT.

When It Is Free of Dandruff, It Grows Luxuriantly.

Hair preparations and dandruff cures, as a rule, are sticky or irritating affairs that do no earthly good. Hair, when not diseased, grows naturally, luxuriantly. Dandruff is the cause of nine-tenths of all hair trouble, and dandruff is caused by a germ. The only way to cure dandruff is to kill the germ; and, so far, the only hair preparation that will positively destroy the germ is Newbro's Herpicide—absolutely harmless, free from grease, sediment, dye matter or dangerous drugs. It allays itching instantly; makes hair glossy and soft as silk. "Destroy the cause, you remove the effect." Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

HARDIN'S PHARMACY, Special Agent.

Bagging and Ties

Rust Proof Oats for Seed.....

Full Cream Cheese.....

All Kinds of Canned Goods

Heavy Groceries

Grain, Hay

Lime, Cement, Nails

ALL AT LOWEST PRICES.

The Worth Co

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FOX RIVER BUTTER

in five pound tins. It is the best way to have die butter at any time, especially in warm weather.

Royal luncheon cheese, butter thin crackers, sardines. Fels Naptha Soap.

Crow & Taylor, New Stand 13 Market St. Phone 1052. \$6 21 tf.

If you have lost anything advertise for it in the Morning Star.

STEAMSHIP LINES AND RATE BILL

They Deny That They Come Under Its Provisions As Common Carriers

CONFER WITH COMMISSION

Willing to Aid Railroads and Commerce Commission in Regulating Traffic Under New Law, But Reserve Their Rights.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, September, 14.—An important conference was held today between members of the Interstate Commerce Commission and the representatives of several coastwise steamship lines concerning the maintenance of established rates on shipments of freight by a combined water and rail route.

The steamship officials do not assent to the authority of the Commission so far as the recently enacted railroad rate law seems to apply to them, but they desire to discuss the situation with the Commissioners with a view to reaching a common ground of understanding—a sort of working agreement.

The conference was held behind closed doors. Those present in addition to the seven members of the Commission were A. B. Brown, general counsel to Norfolk and Washington Steamship Company, Washington, D. C.; E. H. Duff, Washington representative of sundry steamship lines; Theodore G. Eger, vice-president and general manager Clyde Line Steamship Company; Daniel H. Hayne, counsel Merchants and Miners Transportation Company; Clyde Milne, general freight agent Clyde Steamship Company; H. H. Raymond, New York and Texas Steamship Company (Malloy lines); John Callahan, second vice-president Norfolk and Western Steamship Company; J. G. Whitney, second vice-president and traffic manager Merchants and Miners Transportation Company, and Alfred Winsor, president Boston and Philadelphia Steamship Company. At the conclusion of the conference the following statement concerning it was issued by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

"The representatives of a number of coastwise lines were in connection with the members of the Interstate Commerce Commission today for the purpose of explaining to the Commission their reasons for desiring to accompany their concurrence in through rates in connection with the railroads with a disclaimer of assenting to the jurisdiction of the Commission or the application of the Interstate Commerce law to them, while at the same time giving assurance of their desire to co-operate with the Commission and the railroads in bonafide application and observance of established rates and to promote the general purposes of the statute by harmonious co-operation with the commission in so far as they can do so consistently with the preservation of such rights as they may have under various statutes. For illustration, it is their position that they are protected by the so-called Carter act, and other statutes. Independent of the act to regulate commerce, in respect to liability for losses in the sea by fire and otherwise. A provision in the twentieth section of the act to regulate commerce requires that the initial carrier giving the receipt or bill of lading shall be responsible to the shipper or owner of such bill of lading for losses by any carrier participating in the through transportation. The matter of ultimate liability would be one of adjustment as between the carriers themselves, making up the through line.

"These coastwise lines deem it essential that they admit their control by the provisions of the act to regulate commerce by unqualified and unconditional concurrence in joint rates, lest in doing so they might be stopped from asserting their legal independence of the provisions of the act when it becomes necessary in case of any losses, to reserve to themselves the rights and immunities from liability on account of loss under these various other statutes. They assert that they want to put themselves in a position in this way to save for themselves such rights as they have under the law and not to do any act which might be construed as voluntary waiver of the same, but that it is also their desire to co-operate for observance of established rates in all possible ways and to avoid raising such questions, as they think it wise in this manner to preserve a protection against great losses which might occur at sea and for which under all of the existing statutes they claim would not be liable unless they had voluntarily waived their rights."

Well Worth Trying.

W. H. Brown, the popular pension attorney, of Pittsfield, Vt. says "Next to a pension, the best thing to get is Dr. King's New Life Pills." He writes: "they keep my family in splendid health." Quick cure for Headache, Constipation and Biliousness. 25c. Guaranteed by all druggists.

Advertise in the Morning Star.

THIS IS CAMPAIGN YEAR.

Norfolk Contractor Up for Violating Eight-Hour Law.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.) Norfolk, Va., Sept. 14.—United States Commissioner George E. Bowden today caused the arrest of John Monk, a contractor employed in government work at Fort Monroe, for violating the eight-hour law. He is accused of working nine hours a day on government work. The warrant in the case was sent from the district attorney's office in Richmond, and Monk was brought into the United States court room in the custody of a United States marshal. He will be tried before Commissioner Bowden next Tuesday. The arrest of Monk, it is said, will be followed by others, who are alleged to be violating the eight-hour law.

BASEBALL

AMERICAN

Washington, 5; New York, 1. Philadelphia, 4; Boston, 0. Cleveland, 1; Detroit, 2. Cleveland, 6; Detroit, 0 (Second game).

Chicago, 4; St. Louis, 3. St. Louis, 0; Chicago, 3 (Second game).

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York, 3; Brooklyn, 5. New York, 0; Brooklyn, 1 (Second game).

St. Louis, 0; Chicago, 3.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Atlanta, 5; New Orleans, 0. Atlanta, 1; New Orleans, 2 (Second game).

Montgomery, 2; Memphis, 2 (Nine innings, darkness). Birmingham, 6; Little Rock, 0. Nashville, 8; Shreveport, 0. Nashville, 2; Shreveport, 4 (Second game).

At Richmond: Savannah, 3; Richmond, 3. Called ninth inning on account darkness.

Use Both Hands.

That people should learn to use both hands with equal freedom is a matter of great importance. If when the right hand of a workman is tired he can continue his task with the left, then it is obvious that he will get through more work than a right handed man. In the boys' mechanical department in the German schools much of the work is done by the left hand under compulsion. The boys are taught to saw, plane and hammer with the left hand as well as the right. The scholar is also taught to draw large circles on the blackboard, first with one hand and then with the other. Man is the only one who cannot use all his limbs with equal facility. Man uses his eyes equally well and also the legs, except that most people kick with the right foot. But how few can use more than one hand to advantage? And this is so simply because of lack of early training.

An Otter Feeding.

A correspondent of the London Field tells how he was once able to watch an otter on the feed in the Wyre for about half an hour. Attracted by what seemed at first like a large fish jumping out of the water at short intervals, like a porpoise, he presently saw that it was an otter on the feed. The water was running at about three miles an hour and was about two feet deep where the salmon were lying. The otter kept in the shallows and dived at intervals of some ten seconds, moving gradually upstream. Now and again there was a great splashing as a fish was caught and eaten. Once he landed and ran about on a small island, but soon resumed his fishing, with no attempt at concealment. The railway and a public road were near at hand, but nothing seemed to disturb him, nor did he once seem to look round for danger signals.

Underwear and Chills.

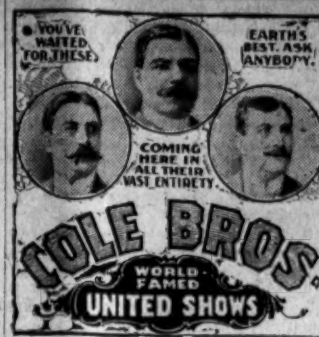
The reasons for the flannel underwear preventing chills are these: The material is a bad conductor of heat; hence it retains in itself the heat acquired from the body, and this heat is largely given to the moisture absorbed. Flannel also absorbs more moisture than an equal thickness of cotton or linen, and it retains moisture better than either. Now, the passing away of moisture into the air always means the cooling of the surface from which it passes. Taking an ordinary thin garment of linen or cotton, the loss of moisture may be so rapid as to cause a very great cooling, amounting, so far as the skin itself is concerned, to a chill.

What Produces Perfume.

It is not oxygen, but light, which is the main cause of the transformation and destruction of the odorous principles, although in many cases the two agents act in concert. In producing the perfume of plants light acts both as a chemical and mechanical power. The intensity of the perfume of flowers depends upon the balance established at every hour of the day between the pressure of water in their cellules, which tend to drive the perfumes outward, and the drying action of light. Where there is too much heat there is too little scent. This is due to the excess of light and the dearth of water.

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For Sheriff,

Thos. C. James

sept 15 til sep 19

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I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of New Hanover county at the approaching Democratic Primary Election.

Respectfully, J. A. MONTGOMERY.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives subject to the will of the Democratic voters at the primary to be held September 19th, 1906.

NEIL M. CULBRETH. sept 6 to sept 19.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to Democratic primary.

Respectfully, J. T. KERR. Cape Fear Township.

aug 25 oaw till sep 19

Biddle for Sheriff!

Encouraged by the very liberal support assured me, this is to inform my friends and the general public that I am in the race for sheriff to the finish and will thank you for your support in the Democratic primaries to be held September 19th.

Respectfully, W. H. BIDDLE. aug 12-tf

FOR COMMISSIONER.

At the solicitation of many Democrats (both of the city and county) I announce myself a candidate for the office of Commissioner for New Hanover County at the approaching Democratic Primary to be held Sept. 19th, 1906, and respectfully solicit your votes.

HORACE A. BAGG. sept 6-till 20th.

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H. McL. Green

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FOR REGISTER OF DEEDS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds of New Hanover county, subject to the will of the Democratic primary.

JOHN HAAR. aug26 eod tillsept20th

FOR CORONER,

C. D. BELL.

sept 13 1 wk

FOR CONSTABLE.

I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for the office of Constable subject solely to the will of the Democratic voters of New Hanover county to be expressed at the polls September 19, 1906.

WILLIAM SHEEHAN, SR. 'till sept. 19.

For Representative.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the House of Representatives, subject to the will of the Democratic voters, at the coming primary election.

GEO. L. MORTON. aug 24 til sep 19 pd

For Sheriff

S. P. Cowan

sept 2 tf

TO THE DEMOCRATIC VOTERS OF NEW HANOVER COUNTY.

With a high appreciation of the kindness shown me by my Democratic friends in the past in electing me to the Office of Clerk of the Superior Court of this County, I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election to that office, and ask your support at the approaching primary.

JOHN D. TAYLOR. Jy 25 tf

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

At the solicitation of many friends, I beg to announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Commissioner, subject to the will of the democratic voters of the county at the primary election to be held on the 19th, Inst. I respectfully solicit the suffrages of my fellow citizens, and if elected I shall use all my efforts for the good of the community.

Respectfully, EDGAR C. WOODBURY. Sept 9 7t *

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We the undersigned citizens of New Hanover county, recognizing the fitness of the present Board of Commissioners, consisting of Messrs. D. McEachern, Wm. F. Robertson H. L. Voliers, W. F. Alexander and M. W. Di-vine, and appreciating their good services in the past, do recommend them to the voters of the county for nomination at the approaching Democratic primary.

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While the Jury Was Out

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THE midmorning Colorado sun beat down upon a restless little group of men on the steps of the Fort Morton courthouse, upon the dusty cottonwood trees growing dispiritedly on each side of the road that stretched away from the little sandy square to become, a few hundred yards below, the main street of the town, and upon the tin roofs of the two story brick or frame stores on each side of it. The jury had been out overnight and, although it was 10 o'clock in the morning, had given no sign. The prisoner had not yet been brought up from the county jail near by, and the group of men directly interested in the proceedings were sitting and lounging about the steps, smoking and carrying on desultory conversation. The district judge, sitting on the top step, was an eastern college man, about forty years of age, once an athlete and still with a trim, slender figure. The only touch of the western in his dress was the gray slouch hat worn straight and firmly set upon his brown hair.

"A pretty bit of grazing land," he was saying to the sheriff as he looked over the level prairie, dotted here and there with an adobe shack and occasional herds of cattle.

The sheriff, a brawny, blue shirted young fellow of thirty, with unkempt hair and mustache, uncrossed his boots, pushed his hand deep into the pocket of his corduroy trousers and yawned. As his coat was thrust back with the movement the butt of his 44 caliber "gun" might be seen. Without replying, he drew out a large silver watch and studied it absently.

The small boys among the group of hangers on in front of the steps were beguiling themselves tossing ball, and the prosecuting attorney, a young graduate from the east who had come up from Pueblo, called out:

"Here you are, Johnnie! Give us a catch!"

The small boy who had the ball grinned sheepishly and threw it at him.

"Harder, harder!" said the young lawyer cheerily. "That's no way to pitch a ball. Throw it in this way." And the boy's hands were scorched as he caught the return.

"Say, kin you pitch a curve?" he asked. "Let's see you do it."

"All right," said Hardy, rising good naturedly and taking off his coat. "Here you go. Hold on," he added. "You couldn't catch it if I did. Here, Mr. Hackett; go out there and let me throw you a few curves."

The others laughed at this, for Hackett, the senior counsel for the defense, also up from Pueblo for the trial, was an enormous middle aged Hoosier, six feet two in height and weighing 250 pounds. He had a mass of crisp black hair and wore a black broadcloth frock coat and trousers, low turned down collar and ready made tie. He was slow moving and ponderous, though forceful and shrewd in his profession, deliberate of speech and anything but an athlete.

"Here, I'll catch you," exclaimed the junior counsel, Blake, a somewhat lanky, powerfully built westerner, rising and depositing his rough brown sack coat beside Hardy's.

"Gee, you've got muscle!" he added, rubbing his hands after the first pass.

"Hurry!" yelled the small boy. "That was a corker. Git on to them curves, Clarence!" he cried in worshipful admiration.

"Wouldn't mind a little of that exercise myself," said the judge, rising interestedly and hesitating on the steps.

"Why not have a little game while we are waiting?" said Hardy, half jokingly. "Come on, sheriff!"

Moved by a common impulse the little group brightened up, threw away their cigar ends and moved half apologetically into the sandy square. At the left of the courthouse and adjoining it was a small open field of well trodden, dusty grass, where a scratch ball game was played occasionally and where horses were tethered during court. One of the small boys was dispatched for a suitable bat and ball and a catcher's glove, and by the time the sides were arranged he came racing back with them, highly excited, followed by several other small boys.

No one had the slightest idea of being drawn into a game when he left the steps, but the reaction had worked insidiously. The trial had been a particularly exciting one, and those who had followed it were tired after the three days' strain in the ill ventilated courtroom. The sympathies of all had undoubtedly been with the prisoner, although the state had been vigorous in its prosecution and the judge had conscientiously done his duty. Murder had been committed at Jamestown Creek a few months previously, though a change of venue had been obtained to Fort Morton, the prisoner's own town. Copperthwait had always been a quiet, law abiding ranchman. He was under thirty years of age, big, broad shouldered and swarthy, diffident in manner and somewhat slow of speech, though he had been slowly and thoroughly angered in a quarrel over a bunch of cattle. Six or eight steers had been branded twice, one mark over the other, and the dispute arose over this. Duke, the victim of the shooting, had borne a bad reputation, and the village street was usually more or less uneasy during his infrequent visits. He had killed his man and had been known to boast of it several times in Flynn's saloon. After this last quar-

rel he had sworn to shoot Copperthwait on sight. The quarrel had occurred in the morning. That afternoon Copperthwait had just left the Eagle hotel to mount his mustang tied to the hitching post in front, when Duke happened to turn the corner.

"Here comes Duke!" a bystander exclaimed. Copperthwait started and caught sight of his adversary. Duke stopped short and put his hand behind him, and Copperthwait, quick as a flash, fired once and put a bullet between Duke's eyes. He had offered no resistance to arrest and now was in the rough little jail near by while the twelve good men and true deliberated in the hot back room under the tin roof of the courthouse.

"I guess my hands are a little too soft to play," said the judge good naturedly, feeling a qualm as to the appropriateness of his joining actively in the sport, "but I'll be umpire if you want me."

The two teams were quickly formed, the Comanches against the Sioux. The Sioux won the toss and took the field, and the Comanches were struck out in one-two-three order. When the sides changed, Hardy, the prosecuting attorney, took the box, and Blake, the junior counsel for the defense, caught him. After much urging the judge had consented to preside over first base, since Mr. Hackett had positively refused to play and had been made umpire by general acclaim. As soon as his honor found himself coatless and on the field he threw himself into the battle with the greatest enthusiasm.

There was many an evidence of "softness" in the condition of the play-



He fired once and put a bullet between Duke's eyes.

ers and a noticeable tendency to let swift balls go by rather than grapple them with fingers unused to the hard impact. Wild throws to bases were not infrequent, and in consequence there were much base stealing and hilarious sarcasm from the players on both teams. The official relations of these men were for the time lost sight of. They were merely healthy, enthusiastic Americans, feeling the joy of tingling blood in their veins, the zest of friendly competition and of physical exercise.

The runs were frequent and the errors numerous, and at the end of the third inning so many hands were sore and so many arms growing stiff that it was mutually decided by the teams to call the next inning the last. The score stood eleven runs for the Comanches (the team made up of Judge Hillier, Hardy, Blake, the keeper of the Eagle hotel and one or two other witnesses), and nine for the Sioux, the battery of which was formed by the court clerk and the sheriff, whose heavy leg boots, extending far up inside his corduroys, detracted somewhat from any grace of movement he might have had as he lent his entire soul and mind to the clerk's erratic curves, ably backed up by the assistant prosecutor, the stenographer and several witnesses.

At the beginning of the fourth and concluding inning the deputy sheriff had come up with the prisoner, who was not handcuffed, and they became interested onlookers. Copperthwait's nerve had been superb throughout the trial, and he seemed to take an intense interest in the game.

Just after play had commenced Hardy knocked a hot grounder to first base. The baseman caught it, putting Hardy out and then quietly remarked:

"That settles me! Look at this thumb!"

"See here, old man," Hardy panted, examining it, "it's broken."

"Well, never mind. Let somebody take my place. Here, some one—you, Mulligan. Come and take the base. I'm out of it."

"Guess not," said Mulligan, the deputy. "I ain't played ball since"—

"Go on with the game!" cried a dozen others excitedly. "Some one, any one, take the base!"

"Here, Copperthwait, play first base. We've only got to hold 'em down this inning, and we'll beat 'em easy. There's one out already."

Copperthwait looked uncertainly at the deputy, then at the judge, and quickly pulled off his coat and stepped to the base. His face showed clearly the prison pallor, and this warm sun, light and fresh air seemed wonderfully sweet to his spirit. Taken suddenly away from the active, vigorous life of the ranch, for seven months confined in a dreary prison, the world had seemed gradually to recede from his

life. This sudden contrast of green, open field, ringing with the hearty voices of his fellow men, and the vision of the free, limitless prairie on all sides was a tragic one to the man. He glanced at the players about him, pausing in the game and thinking only of it.

"Go ahead," he said quietly. "I'll play."

The Comanches failed to make a run during the rest of the inning, and when the Sioux came in they made two runs almost at once, tying the score, amid great enthusiasm.

As Copperthwait came to the bat it was evident that the psychological moment of the sport had arrived. Everything had been completely forgotten save the game, and so intense was the interest that the approach of the courthouse janitor was entirely unnoticed. He had come slowly down from the steps and, after a few moments of bewildered surprise, stood leaning against a tree near the catcher, watching the prisoner as he slowly moved the bat backward and forward over the plate.

"One ball!" yelled Mr. Hackett, mopping his neck with his handkerchief.

"Two balls!"

"Strike one!"

"Three balls!"

Creek!

The ball flew straight from the bat high above the right fielder's head, and Copperthwait was safe on second before the ball was fielded in.

The janitor began to grow very uneasy and edged slowly down the field toward the first baseman. The crowd yelled as Copperthwait, still panting, edged off toward third. Harvey turned suddenly and tried to catch him napping, but in his excitement he threw a little wild, the baseman missed it and Copperthwait reached third amid much uproar. The Sioux were all gathered now in a frantic crowd between third and home, yelling like their prototypes, and the Comanches were also noisy.

"Go it, Copperthwait," shouted his team mates. "Get home and we'll win the game! Steady, now! Look out, look out! Don't let them catch you!"

"Now, Hardy," pleaded the judge, "for heaven's sake, play ball! Don't let him make this run!"

"Steady, Hardy!" said the catcher. "Watch my signs."

The janitor had crept up close to first base.

"Say, judge," he whispered to his honor, who was now dancing like an Indian and watching every move of the pitcher and Copperthwait with devouring anxiety—"say, judge, the jury has come in and is ready with the verdict."

"Oh, to h— with the jury!" snapped out the judge. "Go on with the game!"

Hardy slammed in the ball straight over the plate, the baseman bunted it for a sacrifice hit and Copperthwait, who had crept nearly halfway, rushed in and slid triumphantly to the plate on his stomach.

"Safe!" yelled the umpire, and pandemonium broke loose.

"I guess safe's the word, all right," muttered the janitor to the deputy, who had instantly started for the prisoner. "I had a wink from the foreman of the jury as he came in."

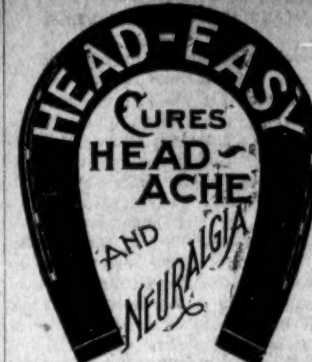
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Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	1,455.55
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	125,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits.....	40,000.00
Bonds, securities, and other cash.....	132,200.00
Checks and other cash.....	20,000.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve banks).....	170,842.99
Due from State Banks and Bankers.....	156,192.34
Due from approved reserve agents.....	132,138.54
Checks and other cash.....	53.99
Notes of other National Banks.....	10,435.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents.....	507.24
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz: Specie.....	\$39,582.75
Legal tender notes.....	31,435.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation).....	5,916.72
Total.....	\$1,745,938.78
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 125,000.00
Surplus fund.....	125,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	93,650.64
National Bank notes outstanding.....	125,000.00
Due to other National Banks.....	183,800.87
Due to State Banks and Bankers.....	157,773.72
Dividends unpaid.....	670.00
Individual deposits subject to check.....	864,051.19
Cashier's check outstanding.....	5,962.36
United States deposits.....	40,000.00
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed.....	25,000.00
Total.....	\$1,745,938.78
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I, J. W. YATES, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.	
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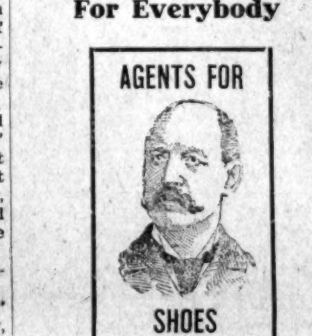
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4.15 a	4.00 p	Raleigh	11.50 a
6.20 a	6.16 p	St'n P'n	9.45 a
7.15 a	7.30 p	Hamlet	8.50 a
8.40 a	7.50 p	Hamlet	8.40 a
1.00 p	11.55 p	Wilmington	4.30 p

Between Wilmington, Portsmouth, Norfolk and

Wilmington	Norfolk	Ar	Lv
8.24 p	9.00 a	5.45 p	8.00 a
9.00 p	9.25 a	Porthm'th	5.30 p
2.35 a	2.10 p	Henderson	1.07 p
4.15 a	4.00 p	Raleigh	11.50 a
7.15 a	7.30 p	Hamlet	8.50 a
8.40 a	7.50 p	Hamlet	8.40 a
1.00 p	11.55 p	Wilmington	4.30 p

Between Wilmington, Atlanta and Birmingham.

Wilmington	Birmingham	Ar	Lv
4.05 pm	4.25 pm	11.59 am	4.25 pm
10.35 pm	10.55 pm	Atlanta	7.30 am
12.35 pm	12.55 pm	Athens	5.55 am
2.45 am	2.65 am	Greenwood	4.13 am
4.55 am	5.15 am	Chester	1.00 am
7.35 am	7.55 am	Hamlet	10.05 pm
8.40 am	9.00 am	Hamlet	7.35 pm
1.00 pm	1.20 pm	Wilmington	8.00 pm

Between Wilmington, Savannah, Jacksonville and Tampa.

Wilmington	Tampa	Ar	Lv
8.30 am	8.35 pm	6.35 pm	8.30 am
5.20 pm	5.25 pm	Jacksonville	9.20 am
7.50 pm	7.55 pm	Jacksonville	8.55 am
12.30 am	12.35 am	Savannah	8.45 am
4.25 am	4.30 am	Columbia	1.20 am
6.25 am	6.30 am	Camden	12.13 am
8.40 am	8.45 am	Hamlet	10.05 pm
8.40 am	8.45 am	Hamlet	7.35 pm
1.00 pm	1.05 pm	Wilmington	8.00 pm

Between Wilmington, Charlotte and Rutherfordton.

Wilmington	Rutherfordton	Ar	Lv
4.30 a	3.00 p	11.59 p	1.00 p
6.55 a	5.35 p	Lumberton	9.32 p
7.22 a	6.00 p	Pembroke	9.07 p
7.46 a	6.30 p	Maxton	8.44 p
8.03 a	6.57 p	Laurinburg	8.27 p
8.40 a	7.35 p	Hamlet	7.50 p
9.00 a	7.50 p	Hamlet	7.30 p
10.55 a	9.30 p	Monroe	6.55 p
11.50 a	10.45 p	Charlotte	5.00 p
4.00 p	3.00 p	Charlotte	10.15 a
5.32 p	4.30 p	Lincolnton	8.10 a
6.10 p	5.00 p	Shelby	7.45 a
8.00 p	7.00 p	Rutherfordton	6.30 a

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Sept. 14, 1906.

SPRITS TURPENTINE—Market nothing doing.

ROBIN—Market nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at \$2.00 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at \$2.80 per barrel for hard, \$3.40 per barrel for dip and \$4.40 for Virginia.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin nothing doing; tar firm, \$1.80; crude turpentine firm at \$2.75, \$4.25, \$4.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine.....77

Rosin.....258

Tar.....41

Crude turpentine.....97

Receipts same day last year—46 casks spirits turpentine, 153 barrels rosin, 53 barrels tar, 64 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market—Steady.

Same day last year—Nothing doing.

Receipts—629 bales; same day last year, 1,761.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, Prime 65; extra prime, 75; fancy, 80@84 per bushel of twenty-eight pounds.

Virginia—Prime, 40@44; extra prime 50; fancy, 55@60; Spanish, \$1.00.

CORN—Firm, 72 1-2@75c. per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 16@17c. per pound; shoulders, 12 to 13c. sides dull, 12@13c.

EGGS—Firm at 24@25.

CHICKENS—Dull, 12 1-2@25 for small, Growns, 30@35.

BEEF—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1/2 per pound.

HIDES—Dry salted, 14 to 15; green 10c per pound.

THE COTTON MARKET.

New York, Sept. 14.—After a higher opening the cotton market eased off under realizing and closed at a net decline of 2 @ 10 point. Sales for the day were estimated at 225,000. The opening was steady at an advance of 6 @ 11 points in response to higher cables than expected. This advance carried the market about 35 to 40 points above the recent level and there was heavy realizing which was promoted by reports of less pressing spot demand and freer Southern offering.

A few stop orders were caught on a sale down to around last night's croch and in the afternoon the market ruled quite easy under liquidation. There was a slight rally toward 2 o'clock owing to a firmer turn in the New Orleans market, but the lowest prices were made in the late trading and while the closing tone was steady on covering, the market was only a point or two up from the lowest.

Receipts cotton at the ports today 25,068 bales against 14,894 last week and 23,840 last year. For the week 145,000 bales against 72,746 last week and 213,530 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 2,433 bales against 1,394 last year, and at outlet 10,365 bales against 9,827 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 9.80; middling gulf 10.05; sales 575 bales.

September.....8.95 8.80

October.....9.10 8.94

November.....9.22 9.06

December.....9.32ofd 9.21

January.....9.39 9.28

February.....9.43b 9.33

March.....9.55 9.44

April.....9.60 9.48

May.....9.69 9.56

July.....9.68b

Port Movement.

Galveston—Firm, middling, 9 5-16; net receipts, 12,332.

New Orleans—Steady; middling, 9 5-16; net receipts, 3,435.

Mobile—Steady; middling, 9 1/2; net receipts, 288.

Savannah—Quiet; middling, 9 1-16; net receipts, 7,022.

Charleston—Firm; middling, 9; net receipts, 962.

Wilmington—Steady; middling, 9 1-16; net receipts, 634.

Norfolk—Steady; middling, 9 1/2; net receipts, 174.

Baltimore—Nominal; middling, 9 1/2; net receipts, 100.

New York—Quiet; middling, 9.80; gross receipts, 3,776.

Boston—Quiet; middling, 9.80; gross receipts, 9.

Philadelphia—Steady; nominal, 9.80; gross receipts, 50.

Brunswick—Net receipts, 121.

Total to-day, at all ports, net 25,068 bales; Great Britain, 1,339 bales; France, 6,714 bales; Continent, 8,688 bales; Stock, 247,577 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports, net, 136,370 bales; Great Britain, 29,362 bales; France, 13,096 bales; Continent, 34,850 bales; Japan, 31 bales.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, net, 209,116 bales; Great Britain, 48,569 bales; France, 13,596 bales; Continent, 67,469 bales; Japan, 81 bales.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady; middling, 9 5-16 bales; net receipts, 10,365 bales.

Augusta—Steady; middling, 9 7-8 bales; net receipts, 3,212 bales.

Memphis—Quiet; middling, 9 1-16 net receipts, 102 bales;

St. Louis—Quiet; middling, 9 1/2; gross receipts, 131.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 51 bales.

Louisville—Firm; middling, 10 1/2; net receipts 35 bales.

Cotton Receipts.

New York, Sept. 14.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston.....121,509

New Orleans.....23,683

Mobile.....6,657

Savannah.....46,983

Charleston.....5,075

Wilmington.....1,973

Norfolk.....279

Baltimore.....100

Newport News.....13

Philadelphia.....133

Brunswick.....138

Port Townsend.....82

Total.....209,116

Port Receipts.

For the week ending Friday, September 14: Net receipts at all U. S. ports during week, 136,370; net receipts at all U. S. ports same week last year, 213,543. Total receipts since September 1st, 209,116; Total receipts to same date last year, 390,386. Exports for the week, 77,589; exports for same week last year, 121,387. Total exports since September 1st, 129,915; total exports same date last year, 208,196. Stock at all U. S. ports, 247,577; stock at all U. S. ports same time last year, 448,378. Stock at all interior towns, 118,622; stock at all interior towns same time last year, 164,040. Stock at Liverpool same time last year, 685,000. Stock of American float for Great Britain same time last year, 126,000.

Comparative Cotton Statement.

New York, Sept. 14.—The following statistics on the movement of cotton for the week ending Friday, September 14, were compiled by the New York Cotton Exchange:

Weekly Movement.

This Year Last Year

Port receipts.....138,997 213,630

Overland to mills and

Canada.....4,483 4,206

Southern mill takings

(Estimated).....40,000 40,000

Gain in stock at interior towns.....18,813 18,689

Brought into sight for the week.....202,293 276,525

Total Crop Movement.

Port Receipts.....211,654 388,492

Overland to mills and

Canada.....8,612 8,153

Southern Mill takings

(Estimated).....75,000 71,000

Stock of interior towns in excess of Sept. 1.....20,332 40,163

Brought into sight thus far for season.....315,598 507,808

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool, September 14.—Cotton: Spot in fair demand; prices 12 to 14 points higher; American middling fair 6.15; good middling 5.87; middling 5.63; low middling 5.43; good ordinary 5.19; ordinary 4.95.

The sales of the day were 8,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 6,000 American. Receipts 4,000 bales including 3,600 American. Futures opened firm and closed easy. American middling G. O. C. September, 5.26; September and October, 5.12; Oct.-Nov., 5.06 1/2; Nov.-Dec., 5.06; Dec.-Jan., 5.06 1/2; Jan.-Feb., 5.07; Feb.-Mar., 5.09; March-April, 5.11; April-May, 5.12 1/2; May-June, 5.14; June-July, 5.15.

NEW YORK FINANCIAL.

New York, September 14.—Money on call strong 4 1/2 @ 9, ruling rates 4 1/2, closing bid 6, offered 6. Time loans easier, sixty days and ninety days 6 per cent; six months 6 to 6 1/2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 6 @ 7 per cent. Sterling exchange firm with actual business in bankers bills at 483.90 @ 481.95 for demand and at 480.20 @ 480.25 for sixty day bills. Posted rates 4.81 @ 4.81 1/2 and 4.86 1/2 Commercial bills 4.79 1/2. Bar silver 67 1/2. Mexican dollars 52 1/2.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refining 2s reg.....105

U. S. Refining 2s reg.....105 1-2

U. S. 3s reg.....103 1-2

U. S. 3s, cou.....103 1-2

U. S. old 4s reg.....102 1-2

U. S. old 4s, con.....103 1-2

U. S. new 4s, reg.....131

U. S. new 4s, cou.....131

American Tobacco 4s.....77 1-2

American Tobacco 6s.....112

A. C. L. 4s.....98 5-8

Baltimore & Ohio 4s.....102 7-8

L. & N. unified 4s.....100 3-8

Seaboard Air Line 4s.....86 1-2

Southern Railway.....115

U. S. Steel 2nd 5s.....98 1-4

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper.....112 5-8

American Sugar Refining.....136 7-8

American Tobacco pfd.....100

Atlantic Coast Line.....143 1-2

Baltimore & Ohio.....121 1-2

Baltimore & Ohio pfd.....93

Chesapeake & Ohio.....63 1-2

Louisville & Nashville.....150

New York Central.....143 3-4

Norfolk & Western.....93 3-4

Norfolk & Western pfd.....90 3-4

People's Gas.....89 7-8

Reading.....148 3-4

Reading 1st pfd off.....89

Reading 2nd pfd.....92 1-2

Southern Pacific.....94 1-8

Southern Pacific pfd.....117 7-8

Southern Railway.....38 1-4

Southern Railway pfd.....100

Tenn. Coal and Iron.....158

U. S. Steel.....46

U. S. Steel pfd.....106 3-8

Va.-Car. Chemical.....40 7-8

Va.-Car. Chemical pfd.....110

S. A. L. com.....

S. A. L. pfd.....

Standard Oil.....600

Western Union.....90 1-2

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, September 14.—The wheat market ruled firm and although small part of its advance was lost, the greater part of it was maintained until the close. The final quotations showed the December option 1/2 @ 1/2 higher. Corn was down 1/4. Oats were 1/4 @ 1/4 lower. Provisions were 2 1/2 to 12 1/2 higher.

Leading futures ranged as follows:

Wheat, No. 2—

Sept.....70 1/2 71 1/4 70 3/4 76 1/4

Dec.....73 73 72 73 1/2

May.....77 1/2 77 1/2 77 77 1/2

Corn, No. 2—

Sept.....47 1/2 47 1/2 47 1/2 47 1/2

Dec.....42 1/2 42 1/2 42 1/2 42 1/2

May.....43 1/2 43 1/2 43 1/2 43 1/2

Oats, No. 2—

Sept.....32 1/2 32 1/2 32 1/2 32 1/2

Dec.....32 1/2 32 1/2 32 1/2 32 1/2

May.....34 1/2 34 1/2 34 1/2 34 1/2

Mess Pork, per bbl.—

Sept.....17.00 17.00 16.97 16.97 1/2

Jan.....12.97 13.05 12.97 13.05

Lard Per 100 lbs.—

Sept.....8.87 1/2 8.87 1/2 8.87 1/2 8.87 1/2

Oct.....8.87 1/2 8.90 8.85 8.87 1/2

Nov.....8.55 8.55 8.52 1/2 8.55

Jan.....7.75 7.77 1/2 7.72 1/2 7.75

Short Ribs Per 100 lbs.—

Sept.....9.00 9.00 8.95 9.00

Oct.....8.60 8.60 8.52 1/2 8.55

Jan.....7.00 7.02 1/2 6.97 1/2 7.02 1/2

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, steady; No. 2 Spring wheat, 74 1/2 @ 76; No. 3, 69 @ 75; No. 2 Red, 70 1/2 @ 71 1/2; No. 2 Corn, 43 1/2; No. 2 Yellow, 48 1/2; No. 2 Oats, 32 1/2; No. 2 White, 33 1/2 @ 34; No. 3 White, 30 1/2 @ 33; No. 2 Rye, 58; Short Ribs, Sides (loose), 8.99 @ 9.00; Mess Pork per bbl., 17.00; Lard per 100 lbs., 8.90; Short Clear Sides (boxed), 8.75 @ 8.87 1/2.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, September 14.—FLOUR—Firm with quiet trade.

CORN MEAL—Firm.

WHEAT—Spot firm; No. 2 Red 76 1/2 elevator. Options 1/4 to 1/2 net higher. May 83 1/2; September 77 1/2; December 80 1/2.

CORN—Spot firm; No. 2 59 elevator. Options unchanged. May 49 1/2; September 56 1/2; December 52.

OATS—Spot steady; mixed 37.

LARD—Firm; Western prime 8.90 @ 9.00. Refined steady.

PORK—Steady.

TALLOW—Steady.

COFFEE—Spot Rio quiet; No. 7 Invoice 8 1/2; mild steady. Futures 5 @ 10 points higher.

SUGAR—Raw firm; fair refining 3 1/2 @ 3 3/4; centrifugal 96 test 4 1/2; molasses sugar 3 1/4 @ 3 1/2. Refined firm.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery 19 @ 24 1/2; State dairy 17 @ 24.

CHEESE—Easy, unchanged.

EGGS—Firm, unchanged.

PEANUTS AND FREIGHTS—Steady, unchanged.

POTATOES—Irish firm, unchanged.

Sweets, easy; Jersey per barrel 40 @ 1.00; Eastern shore per barrel .50 @ 1.00.

CABBAGES—Quiet, unchanged.

Cotton seed oil was active and firm on good speculative and consumptive demand. Prime crude 1 c. b. mills 24 @ 26 1/2; prime summer yellow 38 1/2; prime white 44; prime winter yellow 44.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, September 14.—The dry goods trade was steady today. Buyers complained of great scarcity in wide sheetings, cotton yarns were more active but without any special stiffening in prices. Raw wool was firm. New England buyers who have been in the market in large numbers complained of the scarcity on many lines for quick delivery.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Sept. 14.—Turpentine quiet 65; rosin steady, strained common to good 4.10.

Savannah, Sept. 14.—Turpentine quiet 60 3-4 @ 61. Sales 469; receipts 780.

Rosin firm; sales 2,490; receipts 2,358. Shipments 10, stock 75,2

UNVEILING OF MCKINLEY STATUE

Daughter of President Roosevelt
Unveiled Memorial to Repub-
lic's Martyred President

PANIC AMONG 50,000 PEOPLE

Crowd Surged Around Stand to Get
Glimpse of Mrs. Longworth and Po-
lice Lost Control—Exercises Were
Suspended.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)
Columbus, O., Sept. 14.—With panic
threatening crowd of 50,000 persons
surging around a stand in the capitol
grounds, frantic to secure a glimpse of
Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, the Presi-
dent's daughter, the oratorical exer-
cises arranged for the unveiling of a sta-
tue to William McKinley this after-
noon were suddenly postponed until to-
night after the statue of the martyred
President had been hurriedly unveiled
by Mrs. Longworth. The speeches of
the occasion were delivered tonight in
Memorial Hall.

The crowd was so large and cramped
that it got beyond control and the
shrieking of women and children who
were caught in the crush rapidly worked
the crowd into a frenzy. Many wo-
men fainted and were carried out of
the crowd by the police. Mrs. Eliza
Muhn and a negro were trampled on
and had to be removed in an ambu-
lance. Both will recover. Mr. and
Mrs. Longworth had an exciting expe-
rience escaping from the excited
crowd. From the speakers' stand they
went through a window overlooking
the platform into the mayor's office,
but they were scarcely inside when
the people began to surge through the
doors from the corridors and the office
was quickly filled. The Longworths
then attempted to reach an automobile
which was waiting for them in the
street, but once inside the building
they were caught in a surging crowd.
Finding no immediate avenue of es-
cape, Congressman Longworth fought
a way for his wife out of the capitol
grounds and across Broad street into
the Outlook building.

They remained there until the police
cleared a way for a carriage which
took the Congressman and his wife to
the hotel. Later the Longworths took
a train for Cincinnati.

The committee on arrangements had
expected an enormous crowd but
in view of the solemnity and dignity
of the occasion the committee believed
that the crowd would be easily kept
in restraint. Under ordinary circum-
stances the police arrangements would
have been adequate but the officers
quickly found they were powerless to
cope with the crowd.

Memorial Hall tonight was filled
with people. Governor Harris presid-
ed. The speakers were William R.
Day, Associate Justice of the Supreme
Court of the United States, John W.
Daniel, United States Senator from
Virginia; General Joseph McKay, of
Brooklyn, N. Y., national Commander-
in-Chief of the United Veterans'
League, and Gen. R. B. Brown, com-
mander-in-chief of the G. A. R. Mrs.
McKinley was unable to attend the
dedicatory exercises but she was rep-
resented by her niece, Mrs. Ida Mc-
Kinley Day.

Senator Daniel said in part:
"To-day we praise God that He filled
with love of country and with love of
all his countrymen the great good man
whose image stands before you.
Around are your people of Ohio, rep-
resentative not only of yourselves but
representative also of the majestic
and far-stretched masses of our fel-
low citizens who are in the multitudi-
nous homes and cities of the greatest
republic of the world, inhabited by
the freest people of all the ages. One
language do they speak. One voice
do they utter. It is the voice of glad-
ness that William McKinley lived,
mingled in paths with the voice of
sorrow that he died.

"He brought all his countrymen to
better understanding and closer com-
munion. He sent for the wearers of
the Blue and the wearers of the Gray
to battle, elbow to elbow, heart to
heart, rank to rank, in honor prefer-
ring one another. He trusted all alike;
well he might. Time and again I
heard him say that his highest am-
bition was to make all the people
feel that they were Americans. No
one of the Presidents of the United
States ever touched a deeper or ten-
derer chord in the hearts of his coun-
trymen than he did and no one more
thoroughly appreciated the good will
that was given him.

"When he rose to speak at the Buf-
falo Exposition September 5th, 1901,
his fondest hope had become reality,
for all Americans held him in their
hearts. He had read his history in
the nation's eyes." He had not an
enemy in the world. The skies were
bright, and the heavens were blue.

By a dastard, pervert and degen-
erate hand he fell. Apotheosis of
folly! Not a being in all the world
was bettered, not a hope of better-
ment was kindled in a single breast.
Not a tie that binds society together
was severed. The foundations of au-
thority were unshaken. The govern-

WATCHFUL EYE ON CUBA BY U. S. GOVERNMENT

President Roosevelt will Send Secretary of War Taft
and Assistant Secretary of State to Havana—
Cuban Congress Meets.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., September, 14.—
After a protracted conference with
Secretary of War Taft, Acting Sec-
retary of State Bacon and Secretary
of the Navy Boneparte, President
Roosevelt to-night addressed an im-
portant communication to Cuba and
arranged to send Secretary Taft and
Assistant Secretary Bacon to
that island on Sunday to make a thor-
ough investigation of conditions there
and lend their influence to restore
peace.

The communication is addressed to
the Cuban Minister to the United
States, Senor Quesada. It is an im-
passioned plea to Cuba to realize her
responsibility as a self governing re-
public and restore peace in the island.
Her attention is called in no uncer-
tain language to the responsibility
which the United States bears to the
island and the certainty that such re-
sponsibility will necessarily be exer-
cised should peace not be preserved.
The President says he has certain in-
formation that the peace of the island
is now menaced and that American
property has been destroyed. Secre-
tary Taft and Mr. Bacon will leave
for Cuba Sunday. They will go by
rail to Key West, Florida, and from
there to Havannah on a vessel. Prob-
ably the cruiser Des Moines will be
used.

The conference which resulted in
the Cuban decision began at Sagamore
Hill shortly after 3 o'clock this after-
noon and continued until 10 o'clock
tonight. At its conclusion Secre-
taries Bacon, Taft and Boneparte left
for New York and will go to Wash-
ington to-morrow.

Secretary Taft said as he left Oys-
ter Bay that he had no idea as to the
length of his visit to Cuba. He in-
dicated that there would be no haste
in the investigation which would be made
there. Aside from this information
no discussion will be divulged by
those attending the conference, the
statement being made that the let-
ter of the President was intended to
cover the whole Cuban situation so
far as it was desirable to do so in
the public print.

Senator Albert Beveridge, of Indi-
ana, a member of the Senate commit-
tee on Cuban Relations, also partici-
pated in the conference.

Eight War Ships to Go to Cuba.

Washington, September 14.—Having
done everything in the way of prepara-
tion for eventualities in Cuba which
prudence and experience could sug-
gest the officials in Washington who
are temporarily acting as heads of
the military branches of the govern-
ment, to-day did nothing more than
await developments and watch the
execution of the plans they had al-
ready formed. It was of course pos-
sible as the result of the cabinet coun-
cil at Oyster Bay that other orders
might come from the President but
such was not the case and it was said
that there was nothing to be done but
to await developments in Cuba.

There was no cessation on this ac-
count of the activities of the subor-
dinate officers who were charged with
the execution of the details of the
plan. Thus it appears, that within
a short time an effective fleet of
eight vessels will surround the island
of Cuba, and they will be well man-
ned by marine contingents, making good
a deficiency in the present equipment
of the Denver. In addition to the
Denver now at Havana, the Des
Moines is already crossing the Flori-

ment went on just as before. "The
President is dead," rang out like a
knell. "Long live the President" rose
on the American voice; stern, com-
manding, victorious, a warrior, for-
ward!

"This day five years ago, McKinley
died. The whole people were in tears
and everybody felt that he had lost a
friend. I leave you with this prayer
for the gentle companion of his life,
who may go to him who cannot come
to her, and for you all, men and wo-
men of Ohio, and our countrymen:
"May all love, his love unseen but
felt, overshadow thee;
The love of all our sons encompass
thee;
The love of all our people comfort
thee;
Till God's love sit thee by his side
again."

HESTER'S COTTON STATISTICS.

Receipts of Cotton Since September
1st 209,116 Bales.

New Orleans, Sept. 14.—Secretary
Hester's statement of the world's vis-
ible supply of cotton issued today
shows the total visible to be 1,751,661
against 1,741,249 last week and 2,646,
662 last year.

The movement of American cotton
since September 1st, shows receipts
at all United States ports 209,116
against 354,754 last year. Overland
across the Mississippi, Ohio and Po-
tomac rivers to Northern mills and
Canada 7,642 against 9,528 last year;

da straits from Key West for that
part, the Marietta is probably still at
Cienfuegos, though interrupted tele-
graph lines make it difficult for her
to report, the Dixie with 300 marines
aboard is making all haste from Guan-
tanamo for the Cuban capital, while
the Tacoma is about to sail for Cuba
from Norfolk to be followed to-morrow
by the Cleveland, and the Newark at
the same port and the Minneapolis at
league Island are taking on stores
with all speed under preparatory or-
ders and will be ready to sail when
the starting signal come from Wash-
ington. Meanwhile the marine corps
is in perfect readiness and expects
to be able to place 2,000 marines
aboard ship at a few hours notice,
most of the men being now at League
Island, New York, and Norfolk.

Cuban Congress Meets.

Havana, September 14.—The extra
session of Congress called by Presi-
dent Palma completed at one sitting
this afternoon the business for which
it was called, namely, the granting
to President Palma of the fullest pow-
er not already constitutionally pos-
sessed by the executive for carrying
on the war, including the right to ap-
propriate any public funds for war
purposes, revoking appropriations
voted at the preceding session of
Congress in order to permit the div-
ersion of the moneys involved to pro-
secution of the war and authorizing
increases of the rural guards to 10,000
and the artillery to 2,000 men. This
triples the former forces of rural
guards and doubles the artillery.
These measures which were combin-
ed in one blanket bill, were passed by
the party votes, the Liberals and In-
dependents refraining from voting,
and the Liberal Nationalists voting
with the Moderates.

President Palma submitted a brief
message, principally deploring the
conduct of the opposition, whom he
charged with the responsibility of
causing the rebellion. The message
contained no recommendations be-
yond suggestions that Congress ap-
prove all recent executive decrees and
take such steps as may be deemed
advisable for the ending of the war.
Insurgents Were Ready to Surrender.

Another feature of the day was the
return on board the American pro-
tected cruiser Denver of the blue
jackets who were landed from that
vessel last evening on the request of
President Palma who represented
that he could not guarantee the pro-
tection of American interests. This
was in view of the fact that the land-
ing of the blue jackets had not met
with the approval of the Washington
government which is believed here
to have regarded the step as open to
the construction of intervention.

The events of the day also indicat-
ed that the insurgents in Havana
province regarded the landing of
American sailors as constituting inter-
vention, and they signified their readi-
ness on that account to quit the
field. Nothing resulted from their
efforts to surrender.

The worst sufferers to-day were the
railroads, which are completely tied
up, no trains leaving Havana. This
is a particular hardship to hundreds
of country families who were coming
to the city for fear of attacks by the
insurgents. Telegraphic communi-
cation is almost as badly paralyzed.
Reports of the capture of Cienfue-
gos are persistent but the absence of
the telegraphic communication makes
it impossible to verify the rumors.

Interior stocks in excess of those held
at the close of the commercial year
15,740 against 49,423 last year. South-
ern mill takings \$8,000 against \$5,
302.

Foreign exports for the 14 days have
been 129,468 against 153,832.

The total takings of American mills,
North, South and Canada, thus far for
the season have been 121,598 against
131,231 last year.

Stocks at the seaboard and the 29
leading interior centers have increas-
ed during the week, 59,150 bales
against an increase during the corre-
sponding period last season of 137,707.
Including stocks left over at ports
and interior towns from the last crop,
and the number of bales brought into
sight thus far from the new crop the
supply to date is 618,268 against 943,
364 for the same period last year.

In Atlanta yesterday Charles Gels-
mar, of Macon, shot and wounded Mrs.
E. B. Ivey in the hand at her home
and then shot and killed himself.
Gelsmar went to the home of Mrs.
Ivey late last night and demanded
admittance. This was refused and
yesterday he returned and began fir-
ing. No cause has been given for the
deed.

Running without permission a hand
car loaded with trackmen of the
Wheeling and Lake Erie railroad ran
off an open draw over the Miami
bridge near Toledo, O., last night and
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to have been twelve.

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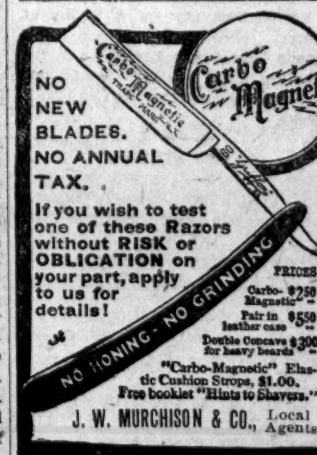
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